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WORLD'S FAIR BEAUTY SHOW.

FORTY HANDSOME YOUNG WOMEN ALL IN NATIONAL COSTUMES.

More than 5,000 people visit the "Beauty Show" at the World's Fair every day when the weather is fine. If this ratio is kept up, and there seems to be no reason to expect that it will not be, the number of visitors will surely reach 10,000 to 15,000 a day when the crowds that are confidently counted on put in their appearance at the Fair.

The "Beauty Show," as it is almost universally called, is certainly one of the most novel and attractive of the special features at the Exposition. These special attractions—about thirty in number, and of as many different descriptions—are situated on both sides of Midway Plaisance, a portion of the Exposition grounds, 600 feet wide and extending from the Woman's building westward for nearly a mile. In this strip of territory visitors may see gathered together a greater number of different nationalities and more variety of strange things than can be found assembled anywhere else on earth. Everyone who goes to the Fair takes in the sights on Midway. It is the chance of a lifetime, and almost as instructive and entertaining as a couple of years of foreign travel.

But to return to the "Beauty Show." That, by the way, is not its technical name. It is catalogued as the "International Dress and Costume Exhibit," and to this name its managers have added "World's Congress of Beauty."

As a beauty show, it far transcends anything ever before attempted in that direction, and, it is believed, is the first exhibition of the sort possessing genuineness in the claim of being international.

But it is much more than a beauty show. The exhibit comprises between forty and fifty representatives of different nationalities, races and types, and each one is clad in distinctive national or racial dress or costume. Agents were sent abroad to get these representatives and their costumes in their own countries, and to bring them to the Fair, and all who visit the exhibit will readily agree that the work was well done.

It took faith on the part of the financial backers of the enterprise to carry it out, for the exhibit, as it stands to day, represents an expenditure of over $50,000. But the result shows that they knew what they were about. Thus far no other Midway attraction has drawn as well as this. It catches the crowd, both of men and women, and all who see it commend it to their friends.

Nearly all of the representatives are young women, and beautiful women at that. The reader need not conclude that this was wholly accidental. Women, rather than men, were selected because, as a rule, their costumes are more distinctive and attractive; and, in collecting a lot of young women from different countries for a public exhibition, who would not select beautiful ones rather than plain or homely specimens. Beautiful women, each one typical of her race or country, and striking costumes, true to the nationality of those who wear them, the result is a very instructive and popular exhibit.

The "Beauty Show" occupies a whole building by itself, and has pleasant surroundings. The building is 48x145 feet, two stories high, and is covered with stuff like all the other Exposition buildings, thus having the appearance of being built of white marble. In front are lawns and graveled walks. From numerous flag-poles on the building float the colors of as many nations. The interior of the building truly presents a scene of splendor. One enters a great hall gaily decorated with multi-colored bunting and the flags of different nations. The windows are all darkened, and electric light illumines the hall by day as well as night. Around three sides of the room is a dais, carpeted and divided by polished brass railing into booths for the beauties. Each booth is nicely furnished, and in a conspicious place is a satin banner bearing the name of the country which the occupant represents.

What do the beauties do? Well, the principal thing they do is to be looked at. Some do fancy work of one sort or another, some read, some spin, make embroidery, or engage in other light occupation, such as they are accustomed to at home. Nearly all chat freely with visitors, and answer the many questions which are propounded. They are paid a great many compliments, of course, and these they receive graciously if they are offered courteously. Occasionally a dude or ill-manered person receives a squelching, which generally causes him to make haste from the vicinity.

At the end of the hall, opposite the entrance, is an oriental or harem scene in which there are five dark-eyed beauties lounging on divans or otherwise disposed in accord with the languid habits of the far East. Fatima, a regal beauty, is the "queen" of this booth, and occupies an exalted position in the center.

The costumes of the orientals are exceedingly gorgeous and rich. Three of the girls—an English, French, and American—wear Worth gowns. These naturally excite the enthusiastic admiration of all of the visitors of the gentler sex. The gowns cost from $1,000 to $1,500 each, and are the finest that the famous Paris costumer could make. The material was made specially for him and could not be duplicated elsewhere. This is Worth's only exhibit at the Fair, he having declined a request from the French Commission, and also one from Mrs. Potter Palmer, president of the Board of Lady Managers, to make an exhibit in their departments.

The beauties enjoy themselves; they have a good time; they sleep and eat in the exhibit building, and have comfortable quarters and excellent board, much better in fact than the public restaurants of the Fair provide. They have their half days off, and are allowed to go and come under proper restrictions. So long as a girl acts in a lady-like and proper manner but little restriction is exercised over her. One would imagine that it would be a difficult task to manage so many pretty young women, who are conscious of their attractions, and who, it is to be supposed, have their jealousies of each other. However that may be, it seems to be done smoothly and satisfactorily. The girls seem happy, and the visitors are certainly well pleased. Compliments for the "Beauty Show" are heard on every hand.

When one stops to think of it, what reasonable criticism can be made of the idea of holding a beauty show? Beauty of face and form, especially of the female face and form, has engaged the talent of great painters and sculptors of all ages, and what they have produced on canvass and in marble has received universal admiration. Why should not the original be set up for admiration, and receive it, as well as the imitation, and even in greater degree? Sound reasoning will probably answer that it may be, if properly. Visitors to the World's Fair evidently think that the International Dress and Costume exhibit is a genuine beauty show, and not only that, but a model and perfectly proper one.

Adjourned Court.

Argument Court was held Friday afternoon 30th ult at two o'clock, all the Judges on the bench.

In the case of J. D. Fullmer vs. Jemima Poust. Opinion of Court filed.

Clara Long vs. W. H. Cherington. Opinion of Court filed. Motion for a new trial over-ruled and new trial refused.

Wm. G. Rook vs. Annie H. Rook. Proceedings in divorce. The amendment as prayed for by the liabellant was permitted.

Road in Benton township near H. F. Everett's. Report of viewers set aside, review refused and county to pay costs.

Michael Wenner appointed guardian of Lloyd and Torrence Wilson, minor children of Jacob O. Wilson, dec'd. Bond filed and approved.

In the estate of Ellen M. Chrisman. Report of auditor filed and confirmed nisi.

The report of the auditor to distribute the money arising from the sale of the Fishingcreek Lumber Company confirmed nisi.

A petition was presented asking for a special tax for the Borough of Catawissa. The Court ordered five days notice to be given to parties interested and the hearing was fixed for July 7, at 2 p. m.

Patrick Welsh appointed guardian of the minor children of Arthur J. McLaughlin, deceased.

In the estate of Arthur J. McLaughlin, private sale of real estate ordered.

In the widening of Fifth, East and Catharine streets in the town of Bloomsburg. The exceptions to the report of the viewers assessing damages overruled and the report confirmed absolutely.

In the estate of Michael Beishline, deceased, Miles W. Moss and William Z. Doty appointed appraisers.

Bloomsburg Banking Co. vs. David Savage and A. B. Herring. Petition for amendment filed. Amendment allowed, 30 day's notice to be given the defendants' counsel before next term of court.

In the estate of M. G. Hughes, dec'd. Rule granted to show cause why an attachment shall not issue against the Administrators. Returnable July 18, at 2 p. m.

NORMAL SCHOOL.

MEETING OF ALUMNI.

The attendance at the meeting of the Alumni, was the largest in the history of the school, there being over two hundred and fifty present. The chief subject for discussion was that of creating an Alumni Fund. The subject having been discussed a year previous, and the Executive Committee having the matter in hand, all seemed to arrive at some conclusion as the theme was discussed. A resolution was finally introduced recommending that the annual dues be increased to fifty cents per year per member, and the proceeds be used for fitting up and grading the grounds for athletic sports; about two thirds of the members present voted in favor of the resolution. There being some votes in the negative it was thought best to refer the subject to the Executive Committee, with instructions to prepare a circular letter and forward to all members of the Alumni, asking for contributions and their opinions upon the resolution. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, Prof. J. P. Welsh, Ph. D.; Vice President, Will H. Brower; Treasurer, H. G. Supplee; Corresponding Secretary, Prof. G. E. Wilbur; Recording Secretary, Martha Powell. Executive Committee, Prof. C. H. Albert, W. B. Sutliff, Eva Rupert, May Sherwood, Nora Finney.

THE BANQUET.

The Alumni dinner was enjoyed by the large number present. Ernest W. Young Esq. of the Class of '80 presided as toast master, and spoke of "The Day we love." Prof. J. O. Coughlin of Wilkes Barre responded to "Our Normal School System." Miss Maud Burns was called upon as a representative of the class of '93, and responded in a happy manner.

R. R. Little of the class of '71 spoke of "The Teacher," and Dr. J. P. Welsh closed the toasts to the subject "Looking Forward."

THE FACULTY.

Prof. Noetling will summer at his home in Selinsgrove, taking in the World's Fair in July.

Prof. Wilbur and family expect to spend a portion of the summer in New York state, with Mrs. Wilbur's parents.

Prof- Hartline will spend the snmmer on the hill, and enter College in the fall.

Prof. Cope and family have gone to Westchester for the summer.

Prof. Albert is in South Carolina conducting an institute.

Prof. Bakeless and wife have gone to their new home in Carlisle.

The brick work for the first floor of the new Dormitory is about completed and timbers laid preparatory to the laying of brick for the next floor. A large iron girder, supported by iron columns extends through the large room of the first floor, and adds strength to the building, making it absolutely safe.

$10,000,000 BLOWN UP.

It is estimated that the amount of money spent in Bloomsburg on the Fourth of July for fire works would reach one thousand dollars. It is reasonable to suppose that other towns would spend proportionately a like amount; and that would aggregate in the United States about ten million of dollars. It seems like a great waste of money, but it annually recalls the Independence and founders of this country. It is singular, however, that the articles we use in thus celebrating our Independance should be made in China or by Chinese workmen, whom we are endeavoring to exclude from our land.

Knights of the Golden Eagle.

The following are the officers of Theta Castle, No. 276, of Bloomsburg, Pa., for the ensuing six months' term:

Past Chief, Robert D. Young; Noble Chief, Joseph R. Bidleman; Vice Chief, Charles A. Pollock; High Priest, C. G. Duffey; Venerable Hermit, J. W. Moyer; Master of Records, Guy Jacoby; Clerk of Exchequer, John Davis; Keeper of Exchequer, C. W. Funston; Sir Herald, E. H. Harrar; Worthy Bard, John Lewis; Worthy Chamberlain, John Keifer; Ensign, W. E. Hartman; Esquire, Frank Dawson; First Guardsman, O. W. Ent; Second Guardsman, Harry McBride; Trustees, Geo. C. Roan, Joseph Bidleman, Jacob Shaffer; Representative to the Grand Castle, Geo. C. Roan.

The Band picnic at Oak Grove was well attended on the 4th.

NOVEL ADVERTISING.

Last week, Thursday afternoon, between 2 and 2.30 o'clock there were gather in front of the clothing store of Gidding & Salsburg about 400 boys ranging in ages from 4 to 14 years. This was the result of advertising in the COLUMBIAN and other papers that they would give a ticket to every such boy entitling him to a pack of fire crackers on the 4th. They were formed in line, and as they filed past the door each boy got his ticket.

Again on the 4th at 9 a. m., the same number gathered again, and each boy was presented with a pack of fire crackers, and they made that part of the town lively for a while. Then packs of fire crackers were thrown in the crowd and it was fun to see them scramble. Even when lighted packs were thrown out the boys would jump on them and try to put them out, regardless of burnt hands.

This firm is an enterprising one, and believes in advertising.

Are Fire Works Prohibited?

While shooting off candles and other fire-works on Main street on Monday night, W. B. Cummings was arrested by Policeman Thomas and Constable Woodward, and taken before President of Council Drinker, where he was discharged. A large crowd had gathered on the street to witness the display, and much indignation was expressed at the action of the officers, and on the other hand the president has been severely criticised for not enforcing the law as it is supposed to exist. It is the general understanding that all kinds of fire-works are prohibited in the town, and the officers were under the same impression when they made the arrest. But the exact effect of the ordinance seems to be an open question.

Article 6 of Ordinance No. 1 reads as follows:

"Any person found firing or causing to be fired within or upon the streets within the built up portions of the town, any kind of fire arms, fire crackers or squibs, shall upon conviction, pay a fine, not exceeding five dollars, for each offence, with costs, PROVIDED, That this article shall not apply in cases where the same is done by a policeman or constable in the discharge of duty or to military muster and parade or upon the 4th day of July of any year."

This applies only to fire-arms, fire crackers or squibs. Fire arms include guns, pistols, and cannons, weapons which act by the force of gun powder. A fire cracker is "a small paper cylinder, charged with a preparation of gunpowder, with a fuse, which being lighted, explodes with a loud report." A squib is "a little pipe or hollow cylinder of paper, filled with powder or combustible matter, and sent into the air burning, and bursting with a crack; a cracker." From this it would seem that a fire-cracker and a squib are the same thing. It is our recollection that it has been decided by a county court somewhere in the State, that the term "squib" is broad enough to cover any kind of explosive fire-works, but we are unable to find the authority. The whole point lies in the meaning of the term "squib," and until the courts have finally defined just what it covers, it will be impossible to say positively whether all kinds of fire works are prohibited in the Town of Bloomsburg. Ordinance No. 6, does not change the wording. It reads as follows:

"SECTION 1. That it shall not be lawful to fire any fire crackers or squibs of any description or kind, upon any day, within the limits of the Town of Bloomsburg; and any person or persons firing or causing to be fired such fire-crackers or squibs within the limits of the said Town shall upon conviction, before the President of the Town Council, forfeit and pay a fine not exceeding five dollars for each offence. And so much of the sixth Article of the first section of Town Ordinance No. 1, entitled, "An Ordinance for the preservation of the Peace and for other purposes" enacted the 13th day of May, 1870, as is inconsistent herewith, be and the same is hereby repealed."

A rocket was fired in front of Mrs. Phillips Tuesday evening, that might have caused much damage. The person firing did not elevate it in time, and the contents were thrown with great force against the sash of the large window in H. W. Sloan's store room, when it discharged with loud report, and the colored lights scattered in all directions.

Fourth in Bloomsburg.

Independence Day was exceedingly quiet at Bloomsburg. The freedom in the use of fire-crackers, rockets, &c., that had been assured the citizens indicated that a noisy day might be expected. It seemed, however, that because of this freedom, there was but little desire to take advantage of it. Pic-nic parties were held at all the groves surrounding the town, while the Bloomsburg Cornet Band had charge of Oak Grove, and to the musical strains, many tripped the light fantastic toe. Two games of base-ball were played between the Shamokin Clover Club and the Bloomsburg Club. The home team was the strongest that has ever been together, and as a result won easily both the games; the one in the morning by a score of 18 to 2, and the afternoon by a score of 12 to 6. There was but little drinking done in the town, and hence no drunkenness, or arrests for disorderly conduct.

THE FIRE WORKS.

According to announcement the fire-works, as provided by a general subscription, were set off on Reservoir Hill, just at the base of the reservoir of the Water Company. The first of the display was fired at about half past eight and continued until almost eleven o'clock. In addition to the variety consisting of rockets, roman candles, volcanoes, electric flowers, serpent mines, spinning wheels, etc., a large iron cannon, belonging to C. C. Kesty, had been secured, and was fired at regular intervals. Louis Lowenberg, John Masteller, and Harry Taylor had charge of the firing. Crowds gathered upon Reservoir Hill, Iron Street, and the Cemetery Hill. There was but one complaint made and that was the slowness in firing. Had they been fired with double or treble the rapidity, it would have given more general satisfaction, though very good as it was.

Washington Camp No. 319, P. O. S. of A., has now completed the arrangements to hold a pic nic at Mountain Lake, located a few miles from Wilkes-Barre, well known to many of our citizens, on July 31st, 1893. The fare for the round trip being as follows: $1.25 for adults, and 75 cents for children, according to railroad limits of age. The public are cordially invited to take part in the excursion and pic nic and make it a day of enjoyment and pleasure long to be remembered. The park is one of the finest in the State, located in a vicinity that affords some of the finest views in the State. The excursion will be accompanied with first-class bands and orchestra. Tickets will be on sale at C. A. Kleim's drug store and also Ringler's drug store. For further particulars see large bills.

Mrs. Glasco Cameron, while sitting in the grand stand at Athletic Park on Tuesday afternoon, witnessing the ball game, was struck by a ball which came through the netting, and rendered unconscious for a little while. She was hit in the left breast in the region of the heart. She was conveyed on a cot to her home near by, and was feeling better next day. There is no doubt about her being struck with the ball, and it was not a case of being overcome by heat.

At this writing, Thursday morning, Mrs. J. J, Brower is lying in a critical condition. On Wednesday she had a fall, striking her head on the bureau, and since then she has been delirious, and her death is not unlooked for. She has been very feeble for some time. Her fall occurred while the nurse was momentarily out of the room.

Martha, wife of B. F. Hicks, died on Wednesday night at 11 o'clock, at her home on Sixth street. On Monday morning she had a second stroke of paralysis, from which she did not regain consciousness. Her age was about 44 years. She was a daughter of Elias Hicks of Williamsport. The funeral will be held on Saturday morning at 10 o'clock.

PURE WATER.

A SATISFACTORY ANALYSIS.

The Bloomsburg Water Company sent a sample of water to Prof. Henry Leffmann of Philadelphia for analysis, who reported the water pure for drinking and manufacturing purposes. The analysis showed but little over 2 grains of solid matter to the U. S. gallon. Mineral ingredients present in very small amount, no poisonous metals or microbes. Any one desirous of seeing the detailed analysis can do so by calling at the office of the Water Company.

BRIEF MENTION.

About People You Know.

Dr. and Mrs. J. P. Welsh expect to start for the World's Fair on Monday.

C. C. Trench went to Michigan on Monday.

Mrs. C. W. Funston has been visiting in Wilkes-Barre the past week.

Mr. and Mrs. Dreifuss of Milton spent the Fourth in town.

Joseph Lowenberg has been at home on a visit.

E. P. Williams attended the unveiling of the New York State Monument at Gettysburg this week.

Mr. and Mrs. H. O. Rodgers of Hazleton, spent the 4th in Bloomsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Stroh of Pittston, spent the 4th in town, at P. S. Harman's.

John Sterling is attending the meeting of Christian Endeavor Societies at Montreal, Canada.

Rev. F. P. Manhart of Selinsgrove, preached in the Lutheran Church on Sunday.

Edward W. Drinker and familiy of Wilkesbarre were among the recent visitors to this town.

Prof. F. M. Jenkins has been re-elected a member of the Normal School Faculty, and has accepted.

Mrs. J. P. Tustin, and daughters, Mrs. R. R. Little, Misses Mary and Ruth went to Niagara Falls on Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. S. F. Peacock, Miss Vida Miller, Messrs Frank Ikeler and Frank Pursel spent last Sunday at Hotel Shickellimy.

Richard C. Drinker spent Sunday in town with his parents. Mrs. Drinker has returned from her visit at Orr's Island, off the coast of Maine, much benefited in health.

Will T. Snyder of Berwick was in town on Friday. He is a first-class paper hanger and decorator, and has also done much to promote the interests of brass bands in Berwick. More than that, he is a good democrat, and good fellow all around.

C. H. Campbell, J. L. Kline and James Reilly went to Beach Haven on the morning of the 4th to spend the day in fishing for bass. They returned in the evening having been successful in landing thirteen—the smallest of which was eight inches. Treasurer Kline landed the largest of the lot.

The frame work of G. P. Frymire's new house is about completed and will soon be under roof. It will be one of the finest along East street.

Cummings & Verdy sent up two balloons from the front of their store on Saturday night. One of them was in the shape of a pig, and the other an elephant. It attracted a big crowd.

A rocket fired on Reservoir Hill on Tuesday night raised at too slight an angle, came directly over the cemetery and landed near the High School building before it bursted.

The County Commissioners have allotted to the King Iron Bridge Co. the following bridges for an iron superstructure: Greenwood, 48 feet span, $672; Main, 120 feet span, $2400; Sugarloaf, 124 feet span, $2480.

Lizzie B., wife of C. D. Lentz, died on Monday night, at her home on Iron street, the cause being heart disease. Her husband and two little children survive. The funeral was held Wednesday morning, and the body was taken to Mifflinburg for burial.

Prof. H. E. Chapin, formerly of the Normal School, was married at Athens, Ohio, on June 29th, to Miss Eudora May Hoffman, of the same place. He occupies the position of Professor of Biology in the Athens University.

Miss Kate Young has declined the position to which she was elected by the school board, having accepted a re-election to her former position in Luzerne county at a larger salary. Miss Helen John has been appointed to fill the vacancy caused by Miss Young's declination.

One of the most successful pic nics of the Fourth was that held at Rupert. Some of the young people of Bloomsburg had leased the grove and invited their friends from Danville and Wilkes-Barre. About 60 young people were present.

"BUSTED" BLAKE.

How a Fortune Fell to His Deserted Widow.

Harken to the tale of how fortune fell to the widow of "Busted" Blake.

The outcome has shown that "Busted" was not radically bad. But he was wretchedly weak of will to reject an opportunity of having another drink with the boys—or with the girls—or with anybody or nobody.

In the days of his ascendency, when he was a young and newly-married architect, he was a buyer of drinks for others. Waiters in cafes vied with each other in showing readiness to take his orders. He was rated a jolly good fellow then. No one would have supposed it destined that some fine night a leering bar-room wit should reply to his whispered application for a small loan by pouring a half-glass of whisky upon his head and saying:

"I hereby christen thee 'Busted.'"

The title stuck. Blake, through continued impecuniosity, lost all shame of it in time; lost, too, his self-respect, and his wife. Mrs. Blake, a gentle and pretty little brunette, had wedded him against the will of her parents. She had trusted, for his safety, to the allurements of his future, which everybody said was bright, and to his love for her.

The years of tearful nights, the pleadings, the reproaches, the seesaw of hope and despair, need not here be dwelt upon. They would make an old story and some of the details might be shocking to the young person. They reached a culmination one day when she said to him:

"You love drink better than you love me. I have done with you."

She was a woman and took a woman's view of the case.

When he came back to their rooms that night, neither she nor his two weeks' old baby girl were there. Then he knew how much he loved them and how much he had underestimated his love.

She did not go to her parents. There was a very musty proverb that she knew would meet her on their threshold: "You made your bed; now lie on it." Her father was a man of no originality, hence he would have put it in that way.

She got employment in a photograph gallery, where she made herself useful by being ornamental, sitting behind a desk in the ante-room. I know not what duties devolve upon the woman who occupies that post in the average photographer's service; whatever they are, she performed them, and with the wages received managed to care for herself and child.

The next day he made a Herculean effort to pull himself together. He obtained a position as draughtsman from one who had known him in his respectable period, and he went tremblingly and sheepishly to call upon his wife and child.

The consequence of his visit was a reunion, which endured for two whole weeks. At the end of that time she cast him off in utter scorn.

How he lived for the next two years can be known only to those who are familiar through experience with the existence of people who ask other people on the street for a few cents toward the price of a night's lodging. By those who knew him he was said to be "no good to himself or anyone else." He acquired the raggedness, the impudence, the phraseology of the vagabond class. He would hang on the edge of a party of men drinking together in front of a bar on the slim chance of being "counted in" when the question went round, "what'll you have?" He was perpetually being impelled out of saloons at foot race speed by the officials whose function it is in barrooms to substitute an objectionable person's room for his company.

One winter Sunday morning he slept late upon a bench in a public square. Awakened by an officer, he rose to go. Hazy in head and stiff in joints he slightly staggered. He heard behind him the cooing laugh of a child. He looked around. It was himself that had awakened the infant's mirth—or that strange something which precedes the dawn of a sense of humor in children. The smiling babe was in a child's carriage, which a plainly dressed woman was pushing. He looked at the woman. It was his wife, and the pretty child was his own.

He walked rapidly from the place, and on the same day he decided to leave the city. He had herded with vagrants of the touring class. The methods of free transportation by means of freight trains and free living by means of beggary and small thievery in country towns were no secret to him. He walked to the suburbs and at nightfall he scrambled up the side of a coal car in a train slowly moving westward.

Mrs. Blake and the child lived in a fair degree of comfort upon the mother's wages, but often the mother shuddered at thought of what might happen should she ever lose her situation at the photographer's.

Consumption had its hold on "Busted" Blake when he arrived in the mining town called Get-there City, in Kansas, one evening. Get-there City had not gotten there beyond a single straggling street of shanties, but it had acquired a saloon, although liquor selling had already been forbidden in Kansas.

"Busted" Blake, with ten cents in his clothes, entered the saloon and asked in an asthmatic voice for as much whisky as that sum was good for.

While awaiting a response his eyes turned toward the only other persons in the saloon—three burly, bearded miners of the conventional big-hatted, big-booted and big-voiced type. Above their heads and against the wall was this sign, lettered roughly with charcoal under a crudely drawn death's head:

"Five thousand $ dollars will be paid by the undersined to the widow of the sneaking hound that informs on this saloon. This is no meer bluff.

P. Gibbs."

Blake, after a brief coughing fit, looked up at the man behind the bar—a great, thick-necked fellow, with a mien of authority and yet with a certain bluff honesty expressed about his eyes and lips. This man, whose air of proprietorship convinced Blake that he could be none other than P. Gibbs, had first looked sneeringly at the ten cents, but had shown some small sign of pity upon hearing the ominous cough of the attenuated vagrant. He set forth a bottle and glass.

"Help yerself," said P. Gibbs. While Blake was doing so, Mr. Gibbs went on: "Bad cough o' yourn. Y' mightn't guess it, but that same cough runs in my fam'ly. It took off a brother, but it skipped me."

Here was a bond of sympathy between the big law-defying saloonkeeper and the frail toper from the east. "Busted" Blake drained his glass and presently coughed again. P. Gibbs again set forth the bottle and this time he drank with Blake. Before long, by dint of repeated fits of coughing, on the part of Blake, the sympathy of P. Gibbs was so worked upon that he invited the three miners in the saloon to join him and the stranger.

Blake slept in a corner of the saloon that night. He left there the next morning, a curious expression of resolution on his face.

During the next three weeks he was now and then alluded to in P. Gibbs' saloon as the "coughing stranger."

In the middle of the third week, at nine o'clock in the evening, when the lamps in P. Gibbs' saloon were exerting their smallest degree of dimness, and the bar was doing a good business, the door opened and in staggered "Busted" Blake. His staggering on this occasion was manifestly not due to drink. His face had the hideous concavities of a starved man and the uncertainty of his gait was the token of a mortal feebleness. His emaciation was painful to behold. His eyes glowed like huge gems.

The crowd of miners looked at him with surprise as he entered.

"The coughing stranger!" cried one.

"The coffin stranger, you mean," said another.

"Busted" Blake lurched over to the bar. His eyes met those of P. Gibbs on the other side, and the latter reached for a whisky bottle.

Blake fumbled in his pocket and brought forth a piece of soiled paper, which he laid on the bar under the glance of P. Gibbs.

"Keep that!" said Blake, in a husky voice, whose service he compelled with much effort. "And keep your word, too. That's where you'll find her."

P. Gibbs picked up the paper.

"What do you mean?" he asked.

"That woman's name there! It's the name of my widow; the address, too, of a photograph man who will tell you where she is. Get the money to her quick, before the governor comes down on you with the troops to close you up. And don't let her know how it comes about. Pick out a man to take it to her, let him pay his expenses out of it—a man you can trust—and make him tell her I made it somehow, mining or something, so she'll take it. You know."

P. Gibbs, who had listened with increasing amazement, opened wide his eyes and drew his revolver. He spoke in a strangely low, repressed voice:

"Stranger, do you mean to say—"

"Yes, that's it," shrieked "Busted" Blake, turning toward the crowd of intensely interested on-lookers. "And I call on all of you here to witness, and to hold him to his word. That's no mere bluff, he says, in his notice there, and I'm the sneaking hound that informed. My widow's entitled to his five thousand dollars. I did it in Topeka, and for proof see this newspaper!"

P. Gibbs fired a shot from his revolver through the newspaper that Blake pulled from beneath his shirt. Then the saloon-keeper brought his weapon on a level with Blake's face.

"It's good your boots is on!" said P. Gibbs, ironically.

But he did not fire. Blake stood perfectly still, awaiting the shot, and feebly laughing.

So the two remained for some moments, until Blake suddenly sank to the floor, quite exhausted. He died within a half-hour, on the saloon floor, his head resting in the palm of P. Gibbs, who knelt by his side and tried to revive him.

At the next dawn a man whom they called Big Andy started east, and the piece of paper that Blake had handed to P. Gibbs was not all that he took with him. The United States marshal arrived and duly closed Gibbs' saloon, which reopened very shortly afterward, minus the five thousand dollar offer.

And Big Andy found the widow of "Busted" Blake, to whom he told a bit of fiction, in accounting for the legacy conveyed by him to her, that would have imposed upon the most incredulous legatee. When she had recovered from the surprise of finding herself and her child provided with the means of surviving the possible loss of her situation, she forgave the late "Busted," and there was a flow of tears unusual to a boarding house parlor and unnerving to Big Andy.

Presently she asked Andy whether he knew what her husband's last words had been.

"Yep," said Andy, "I heard 'm plain and clear. Pete Gibbs, the other executor of the will, you know—Pete says: 'It's all right, partner; me an' Andy will see to it,' and then your husband says: 'Thank Gawd, I've been some good to her an' the child, at last.'"

Which account was entirely correct. When Big Andy had returned to Get-there City and related how he had performed his mission, he added:

"I'd been such a lovely liar all through, it's a shame I had to go an' spoil the story by puttin' in some truth at the finish."

They put up a wooden grave mark where Blake was buried, and after his name they cut in the wood this testimonial:

"A tenderfoot that was some good to his folks at last."—R. N. Stephens, in Philadelphia Press.

—A great deal of meanness masquerades in all parts of the land under the name of prudence.—Bam's Hora.

CROWDS AT CAPE MAY.

The Attraction Was an Address by Ex-President Harrison.

CAPE MAY, July 5.—Independence day was observed here with unusual vim, the presence of ex-President Harrison adding vim to the occasion. The announcement

EX-PRESIDENT HARRISON.

that he would deliver an address brought in many visitors. The ex-President made a patriotic address upon the rights and duties of citizenship.

The ex-President's eloquent words were attentively listened to by a large crowd of people, and he was loudly applauded when he concluded.

After the delivery of his address, Gen. Harrison held an impromptu reception, and shook hands with most of his auditors.

FOUR FIREMEN HURT.

They Were Celebrating, However, and Not Putting Out the Fire.

ANN ARBOR, Mich., July 5.—At fire department headquarters about midnight last night a cannon burst and seriously injured four firemen. They had been celebrating and were loading the cannon preparatory to firing the last charge. Fred Kapp was holding the cannon on his leg and Charles Carroll was raming the charge home. The cannon was hot and exploded prematurely.

The butt was blown through Kapp's right leg cutting it off nearly to the thigh so that it hung only by a shred of flesh. Carroll had both hands blown off. Henry McLaren and William Rettich, who were standing near, were struck by pieces of the cannon and severely but not fatally injured.

Interesting Celebration at Woodstock.

WOODSTOCK, Conn., July 5.—The usual Fourth of July exercises were observed at H. C. Bowen's residence, Roseland Park. The Hon. Charles A. Russell, of Connecticut, delivered an address of welcome, and prayer was offered up by the Rev. William Hayes Ward, of New York. The other speakers were Hon. Seth Low, Justice D. J. Brewer, of the United States Supreme Court; Hon. A. R. Spofford, Librarian of Congress; R. S. MacArthur, D. D., New York city; Hon. S. B. Elkins, ex-Secretary of War, and T. R. Murphy, of New York. Poems were read by Maurice Thompson, Mrs. Julia Ward Howe and Miss Edith M. Thomas. The exercises were interspersed with vocal and instrumental music.

Firecrackers Crazed Him.

NEW YORK, July 5.—Augustus Wolf, junior member of the firm of Henry A. Wolf & Co., cane manufacturers, committed suicide by shooting himself at his office. His brother, Henry, was in the front office at the time. Mr. Wolf said that his brother being of an irritable temperament, seemed to be annoyed by the shooting off of firecrackers by street fakirs, and complained of it. He could not account for his act.

Quiet Day in St. Louis.

ST. LOUIS, July 5.—The 117th anniversary of the birthday of American freedom was celebrated in rather a quiet manner here. The weather was intensely hot and the streets of the city were nearly deserted, all who could get away having gone into the surrounding country on picnics and excursions. Several accidents were reported from careless use of fireworks.

MAY LEAD TO BLOODSHED

Western Coal Miners' Strike Becoming Serious.

"Strippers" Who are Not Allowed in the Union Refuse to Quit Work—Operators Threaten to Import Negroes.

TOPEKA, Kas., July 5.—The strike of the coal miners in Kansas and Missouri is fast assuming a dangerous condition. The strikers are determined that no outside miners shall be permitted to work, and they are especially determined that negroes shall not be imported for that purpose. They declare that if the operators carry out their expressed intentions and employ negro miners, there will be violence.

There is a class of labor engaged in removing the earth from the more shallow veins who are known as "strippers." These men are not miners, nor are they recognized as such by the Miners' Union. The coal they uncover supplies a large portion of the commercial coal used in the state, and its production interferes very largely with the success of the strike.

The union men have declared that these strippers must quit work, making serious threats in case they do not. The strippers say that as the miners have denied them the right to join their union, they are under no obligation to aid in any manner those who have gone out. Besides this they have no grievances, as their work simply consists in removing the earth, and they are in nowise affected by the scale of wages for mining coal.

Stripped of all verbiage the statements of the two contending parties are contained in those two brief sentences. Of the 10,000 or more miners now out on strike the majority quit work out of sympathy, in order to reduce the production of commercial coal. The latter class assert that their wages are fair and that they have no personal grievances. Of those who struck in Crawford and Cherokee counties, where the trouble began, the married men are all idle, while the single men have sought fields and have gone to work.

There are fully 3,000 negro miners in the district who while working in the union mines, have never been permitted to become members of the miners organization. They were induced to quit work with the rest, but they are becoming restless and uneasy, and declare it to be their intention to resume work. The miners have been considering this possibility and say there will be bloodshed in case they do.

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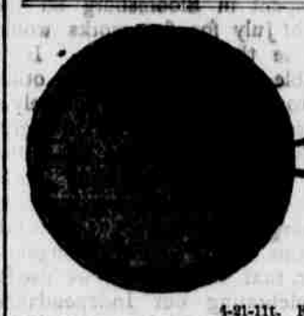

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State Convention of the L. T. L.

The second annual convention of the Loyal Temperance Legion of Pennsylvania met at Philipsburg, June 21 and 22.

Wednesday morning at ten o'clock the executive committee met and decided that the dues of graduates should be twenty-five cents, instead of fifteen as last year.

At 10.30 the convention proper was opened by devotions conducted by Miss Carrigan, of Philadelphia She impressed upon the minds of all that they were not here for their own pleasure but for the good we may do and the inspiration we might receive.

Reports of corresponding secretary and treasurer were given and accepted.

Committees on Credentials, Constitution, Plan of Work, Courtesies and Resolutions, were appointed, followed by reports of the L. T. L.'s. These reports were very encouraging and show a wonderful increase in the number of graduates and workers. We were led in noontide prayer by Mrs. Rice, and adjourned.

Wednesday afternoon meeting opened with a Bible reading by Ralph Kisner, followed by music and reading of minutes.

Greetings were received from Miss Geurnsey.

Just at this time the convention adjourned for a half hour to give place to a wedding. The bride was a member of Philipsburg Y. It was a very pretty affair and all the delegates were glad to be present.

Convention again assembled and Mrs. Rise explained the object of the Youth's Congress to be held at Chicago, and stated that the L. T. L. had received an invitation to send a delegate to represent our work at that meeting. The invitation was then read.

The committee on courtesies introduced Rev. Whitney, of Osceola Mills, who gave helpful and encouraging words. Mr. Butler, of Tiogu county, who brought his son and daughter to attend the convention, also gave a few encouraging remarks.

The question box was then passed. Question, "At what age should boys and girls join the Y's?" was answered by Mrs. Rice saying not until 18 years of age. This was indorsed by others. After singing we adjourned until the evening.

Wedneseay evening the exercises opened by devotional exercises conducted by Mrs. Walter, of Gettysburg; prayer by Dr. Miller of the M. E. church. Address of welcome, by Edna Williams. In a few fitting words of greeting she welcomed the delegates to the town and extended the hospitality of their homes; followed by a response by Frank Lutz, of Bloomsburg.

Mrs. Rice, subject, True to ourselves we will then be true to others and our God. In Shakespeare's words:

"To thine own self be true,
And it shall follow as night the day,
Thou canst not then be false to any man."

She outlined the true citizen as one who is always alive to the interests of the public, if it does cost money, time and effort. In every community there are objectors—those who are opposed to every effort for improvement because his taxes may be increased or his own private interests be touched. The difference between the true and false man, in every walk of life, was clearly shown by her, and, also, that only the true man or woman can really be a successful person. No one in sympathy with or in any way aiding the liquor traffic can be a true citizen. All the members of the L. T. L. were called upon to be true to themselves and swear eternal vengeance to the whiskey traffic. The highest type of mankind is that of the Christian man.

At the executive meeting Thursday morning it was decided to make inquiries about a graduate's badge. Miss Jones was asked to take the matter in hand and see what could be done.

The subject of getting up a new design in pledge cards was taken up and committee appointed to get them. The committee is Miss Alice Edgar, of Columbia county, and Mrs. Walter, of Adams county.

Convention opened with devotions. Minutes of Ex., and last meeting were read and adopted.

After singing the pledge song Mrs. Rice gave a parliamentary drill.

Adjourned with noontide prayer.

Thursday afternoon, after devotions, reading of minutes and singing, the Philipsburg Legion gave a Flower Mission exercise, followed by a recitation and singing.

Election of officers was next in order and resulted as follows: President, James Green, of Blossburg, Tioga Co.; Cor. Sec., Belle Duff, New Castle, Lawrence Co.; Rec. Sec. Anna Wible, Gettysburg, Adams Co.; Treas., Will Butler, Blossburg; 1st Vice Prest., Mr. Cadwalader, Phillipsburg; 2nd Vice Prest., Maude Reese, Alberton; Delegate to Youth's Congress at Chicago, Ralph Kisner, Millville.

The invitation to hold the next convention at Gettysburg was accepted by the Executive Committee.

Plan of Work Com. reported as follows:

1st. We recommend that an annual conference of L. T. L. workers be held in each county for interchange of suggestions in regard to best methods for advancing the work.

2nd. That we appoint press superintendents and so bring our work before the people.

3d. That the Legion be asked to give as faithfully in dues as in work. Faithful service is faithful giving.

4th. That we emphasize the need of county organization and have county conventions, thus preparing our boys and girls for intelligent work when they come to the State meetings.

5th. That we urge that Demorest contests be inserted in our plan of work as the most effectual method of creating public opinion.

6th. That the Legion be urged to make more prominent the pernicious influence of tobacco, and that efforts be made to circulate the paper called *Anti-Tobacco Gem*, and form "Anti-Tobacco" clubs.

7th. That all Legions take the *Young Crusader*, and the graduates the *Advance Guard*.

MRS. WALTER,
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Committee on resolutions asked that the vesper hour of prayer be faithfully remembered by our workers. They also extended hearty thanks to the citizens of Philipsburg for their hospitality and to the committee on decorations and arrangements.

Thursday evening the graduating exercises were given and all who took part acquitted themselves in a creditable manner. The music by the Blossburg Quartet and Epworth League Quartet was excellent.

Diplomas and seals were presented to sixty graduates. Philipsburg having the largest number received the diploma banner.

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Experiment Station Notes.

The results of some experiments upon the comparative digestibility of green corn fodder, and of the same material field-cured and ensilaged, are presented in the fourthcoming report of the Station. These results, when compared with those of similar experiments at this station and eslewhere, modify some previous conclusions as to the influence of ensilage upon the digestibility of corn. Contrary to the generally accepted opinion, it was found that in certain cases the process of ensilage increased the digestibility of the woody fiber of the corn. It was also found, however, that this result was only reached when the amount of fermentation and consequent loss in the silo was excessive, and that under more normal conditions, both ensilage and field-curing somewhat decrease the digestibility of corn. Evidence is constantly accumulating that the undoubted great value of ensilage in progressive farming is not due to any mysterious action of the silo upon the fodder, but is an economic advantage arising from the facts, first, that the corn crop produces a very large amount of food per acre, and, second, that the silo preserves this food with comparatively little lost in a palatable and succulent condition, so that it is eaten with little or no waste.

The last legislature passed an act, which has been approved by the Governor, appropriating the sum of $3000, a year for two years to the Experiment Station "For the purpose of conducting experiments and investigations in the culture, curing and preparation of tobacco." These experiments, which have already been initiated at two points in Lancaster County are to be under the management of the Tobacco Growers' Society of Lancaster County and such other responsible associations as may care to engage in such work, but subject to the direction and control of the Station. The actual work of experimentation is to be carried on by the respective associations, but the analysis and investigations connected therewith are to be made by the Station and the results of the experiments published in its annual report. It is further provided that no part of the appropriation shall be used for the purchase of land, and that experiments shall be carried on under the act in not less than two, nor more than five separate localities. Provision is also made for the publication of results in the form of bulletins, one copy of each of which is to be sent to every newspaper in the State.

The legislature also included in the appropriations for the Pennsylvania State College the sum of $2000 per year for two years for the current expenses of the Agricultural Department of the College. This appropriation is for the teaching work of the College, and not for the experimental work in agriculture.

WASHINGTON LETTER

WASHINGTON, July 3, 1893.

President Cleveland never did a more universally popular thing than when he issued his proclamation calling an extra session of Congress to meet August 7th, it being generally conceded by everybody that the financial situation demands Congressional legislation, although, of course, there is a difference of opinion as to the exact nature of what that legislation ought to be. It is well known that in calling the extra session for August instead of September as originally intended, the President deferred to public opinion as represented by prominent individuals and business organizations in every section. They stated to him that in their judgment an extra session would have a tendency of itself to restore public confidence and improve the financial situation, and although it greatly inconvenienced him personally and doubtless many of the Senators and Representatives who had made their arrangements for September he yielded, and a good effect is already perceptible.

Now that the extra session has been called, the question naturally arises, what will it do?. Mr Cleveland states in his proclamation that "The present perilous condition is largely the result of a finahcial policy which the executive branch of the government finds embodied in unwise laws which must be executed until repealed by Congress, and it would seem that both House and Senate being democratic there should be no difficulty in having those unwise laws repealed at the request of a democratic administration, particularly when the fact is remembered that the Chicago platform, upon which the democratic party carried the country by an overwhelming majority, denounced the laws and demanded their repeal; but there is a difficulty, and a doubt, although it is growing less substantial, as to the repeal of the Sherman Silver law.

The absence of Mr. Cleveland, who does not expect to return to Washington until just before the extra session meets, and the reticence of the members of the cabinet, most of whom expect to take their vacations between this time and August 7, indicates that having done its duty the administration proposes now to keep its hands off and let Congress do its duty, believing that the business interests or the country will make its influence sufficiently felt in Congress to make the repeal of the Sherman law a certainty. A personal friend of the President said this morning: "I do not believe that Mr. Cleveland will have another word to say publicly on this question until he sends his message to Congress, which if I mistake not will be a convincing document."

Senator Vorhees, chairman of the Senate committee on Finance, who has always voted for the free coinage of silver, is strongly in favor of the repeal of the Sherman law and expresses the belief that it will be repealed The Senator is always a power in Congress and his aid will unquestionably be valuable in the Senate, where the strongest opposition to the repeal will be met. It seems to be settled in the minds of those who have been studying the question that the House will vote for repeal by a majority of not less than twenty, although it may take good leadership and some hard fighting to get it to a vote.

In view of the probability of a prolonged fight in which the whole silver question will be stirred up, and its probable bad effect upon financial affairs, the suggestion has been made that it would be good policy for the extra session to pass a resolution authorizing the President to suspend the purchase of silver under the Sherman law and then at once adjourn. It is claimed by the advocates of this plan that it would demonstrate before the opening of the regular session of Congress whether the purchase of silver was as largely responsible for the financial stringency as it is claimed to be and would enable Congress to legislate upon the subject with more intelligence. On the other hand, there are numbers of democrats who say the party is pledged to give the country financial and tariff reform and that the work should begin with the extra session and not end until it has been thoroughly completed.

The canvass for the officers of the House will necessarily have to be short. Speaker Crisp will be re-elected without opposition, and clerk Kerr is so far the only candidate for his position. In addition to the incumbents—S. S. Yoder, of Ohio; Charles H. Turner, of New York, and Lycurgus Dalton, of Indiana—there are a number of gentlemen who would like to be Sergeant-at-Arms, Doorkeeper and Post Master, and the probabilities are that they will make a very lively campaign with the chances slightly in favor of the old officials,

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BIG GAME.

An Account of the Capture of a Harpooned Hippopotamus.

In his book on Abyssinia Sir Samuel Baker gives the following account of the capture of a hippopotamus. After a long chase the animal had left the river, and much to the disappointment of his pursuers had disappeared. But one of the knowing attendants expressed his firm conviction that the "hippo" would soon be seen again. This prediction was fulfilled much sooner than the most sanguine had expected. At a distance of nearly half a mile, says the writer, we saw the animal emerge from the jungle, and descend at full trot to the bed of the river, making directly for the first rocky pool, in which we had previously seen a herd of hippopotami.

Accompanied by the old howarti (hippo-hunter) we walked quickly toward the spot; he explained to me that I must shoot the harpooned hippo, as we should not be able to secure him in the usual method by ropes—nearly all our men being absent from camp upon other duties.

Upon reaching a certain pool, which was about a hundred and thirty yards in diameter, we were immediately greeted by the hippo, who snorted and roared as we approached, then he dived, and the buoyant float, upon which the man with the harpoon was stationed, ran along the surface, marking his course in the same manner as the cork of a trimmer with a pike upon the hook.

Several times he appeared, but as he invariably faced us, I could not obtain a favorable shot. I therefore sent the old hunter round the pool, and he, swimming the river, advanced to the opposite side, and attracted the attention of the hippo, who immediately turned toward him.

This afforded me a good chance, and I fired a steady shot behind the ear, at about seventy yards, with a single-barreled rifle.

As usual with hippopotami, whether dead or alive, he disappeared beneath the water at the shot. The crack of the ball and the absence of any splash from the bullet told me that he was hit; the float remained perfectly stationary upon the surface. I watched it for some minutes—it never moved; several heads of hippopotami appeared and vanished in different directions, but the float was still; it marked the spot where the grand old bull lay dead beneath.

When the men reappeared they swam out, regardless of crocodiles, to the spot where the animal had gone down, and securing the rope attached to the harpoon dragged the body of the hippo to the shore.

POLAR BEARS KEEP COOL.

Tropical Animals in Captivity Suffer Most During the Heated Term.

"It will surprise most people," said Superintendent A. E. Brown, of the Philadelphia zoological garden, to a Record man, "to learn that the polar bear stands the hot weather of the dog days in this locality better than the African lion. On hot days the lion will get off his feed; the polar bear will not. The tropical animals in the garden," continued the superintendent, "are the ones mostly affected by the extreme heat of midsummer, strange as it may appear. I suppose the reason of it is that the heat here is more moist than that of the tropics, and, as it were, of a different character. Whatever mortality occurs among our animals during a heated term is mostly among the tropical animals, especially the African. In hot weather I have watched the polar bear go into his tank, and then, instead of lying in the shade, extend himself in the direct rays of the sun, where the water on his skin would evaporate. He found out for himself, I suppose, that evaporation causes a lower temperature. Again, it is somewhat astonishing, at first, that our polar bear should suffer sometimes as he does from the severe cold of winter. I have seen him shivering on one of those bitterly cold days, when the sky was overladen and the air full of moisture. The moisture was evidently what affected him. In the Arctic regions it is so cold that the moisture is frozen out of the air. Birds do not like the heat. It makes them perch with drooped wings. Heat affects not only the animals in the garden, but the finances of the garden itself. A difference of ten degrees in the thermometer, say if it is ninety-five instead of eighty-five, means a loss of several hundreds of dollars in our gate receipts for the day."

A Well of Frozen Air.

Near Dayton, Ore., there is a well locally known as the "well of frozen air." In drilling it a stratum of frozen clay and gravel was encountered at a depth of fifty-five feet. After passing through five feet of this numerous cavities were encountered from which cold air came with sharp gusts. The escape of the air from the well may be heard at a distance of nearly two hundred yards and it is so frigid that it is not possible for anyone to hold up his hand over the opening for more than a few minutes without having it frozen stiff. A bucketful of water set near the mouth of the well will freeze through and through during one night's time. It is needless to add that work on the well was abandoned as soon as these frigid blasts found vent through the opening made by the drill.

An American Girl's Joke.

A mischievious American girl was recently in Dresden, when the stolidity of the sentinels pacing up and down like automatons attracted her notice. She was seized with a sudden desire to test this cast-iron rigidity, and, waiting until the sentry had turned his back she slipped into his box. When he came back, she popped out her head and said: "Boo!" The soldier dropped his musket and bolted, while the proud American girl, having routed a portion of the German army, demurely rejoined her friends. The emperor heard of the incident and expressed a desire to see the young woman, but she declined to enter into an amnesty with a conquered power.

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Governor Pattison has appointed Hon. C. R. Backalew a member of the commission on uniformity of legislation.

It is reported that Col. R. B. Ricketts has withdrawn as an applicant for the position of Revenue Collector for this district. If this is correct, it leaves the contest between Senator Herring and P. Conniff. There is scarcely a shadow of a doubt about the Senator's appointment.

CONGRESS CALLED TOGETHER.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND ISSUES A PROCLAMATION CALLING AN EXTRA SESSION FOR AUGUST 7.

EXECUTIVE MANSION, *Washington, D. C., June* 30, 1893.—WHEREAS the distrust and apprehension concerning the financial situation which pervade all business circles have already caused great loss and damage to our people and threaten to cripple our merchants, stop the wheels of manufacture, bring distress and privation to our farmers and withhold from our workingmen the wage of labor, and,

Whereas, The present perilous condition is largely the result of a financial policy which the executive branch of the government finds embodied in unwise laws which must be executed until repealed by congress.

Now, therefore, I, Grover Cleveland, president of the United States, in performance of a constitutional duty, do by this proclamation, declare that an extraordinary occasion requires the convening of both houses of the congress of the United States at the capitol, in the city of Washington, on the 7th day of August next, at twelve o'clock noon, to the end that the people may be relieved through legislation from present and impending danger and distress. All those entitled to act as members of the Fifty-third congress are required to take notice of this proclamation and attend at the time and place above stated.

Given under my hand and the seal of the United States at the city of Washington, on the thirtieth day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and ninety three, and of the independence of the United States the one hundred and seventeenth. GROVER CLEVELAND.

The determination to call the extra session the first week in August instead of the first week in September, it is understood, was only definitely arrived at after giving full weight to the numerous telegrams received from all parts of the country urging this course.

Another consideration which caused the president to change his mind was fore-shadowed in the remark made by one of his cabinet officers, that if the president received reasonable assurances that there was a likelihood of a prompt repeal of the so-called Sherman silver purchase law he might be disposed to call congress together earlier than he had announced. It is inferred from the fact that the president has done so he considers he has obtained the assurance he desired.

The Reading in Bad Shape.

RECEIVERS DEFAULT IN PAYMENT OF THE $800,000 INTEREST ON THE GENERAL MORTGAGE BONDS.

The receivers of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company have ordered the payment of the semi-annual dividend of the Lehigh Valley railroad amounting to $506,000, but defaulted on the payment of the $800,000 interest on the general mortgage bonds. They gave out the following statement:

"The receivers of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company find themselves compelled to defer temporarily the payment of the interest on the general mortgage bonds, due on July 1st. It is well known that the company has seldom been able to earn its fixed charges during the first six months of the year, and in the present condition of the money market, the receivers do not feel justified in sacrificing the property of the company in order to meet this interest now. They will announce the time of payment of these coupons as soon as they are able to do so."

The receivers adjusted the $3,000,000 loan of Speyer and Co., but the details are withheld.

Whatever may be the cause of blanching, the hair may be restored to its original color by the use of that potent remedy Hall's Vegetable Sicilian Hair Renewer.

Admiral Tryon's Error.

HAD HE SURVIVED THE DISASTER HE WOULD PROBABLY HAVE BEEN SHOT.

The disastrous collision between the Camperdown and the Victoria, two war vessels of the British navy, resulting in the sinking of the Victoria, and the loss of several hundred lives, seems to have been the result of a blunder on the part of Admiral Tryon, in command of the fleet.

Sir Charles Dilke, one of England's most eminent lay authorities in naval and military matters, was interviewed concerning the reports that Admiral Tryon was suffering from temporary mental derangement when he conducted the manœuvres off Tripoli. Sir Charles said:

"While the Foreign Office has a deal to say on this subject, I must confess that Admiral Tryon never gave me the idea that he had any mental weakness whatever. One of the lords of the Admiralty said that a better sailor than Tryon never trod a ship's deck. The blunder simply passes comprehension. Had Tryon lived, he must have been adjudged guilty according to the present evidence and, unless the Crown used its prerogative, have been shot."

Major General Walter Goldsworthy said: "Tryon served with me in Abyssinia. He was a clear-headed worker. I never heard of any mental deviation or want of precision on his part. His fatal error in my judgment, must have arisen from illness."

In the House of Commons the Right Hon. Kay-Shuttleworth, Secretary to the Admiralty, stated in response to inquiries on the subject, that the Admiralty had decided to convene immediately a court-martial in the matter of the loss of the battleship Victoria. He added that the court-martial would be held at Malta.

All the newspapers publish long editorials on the subject of the Victoria disaster, and all of them warn the public to suspend judgment on the matter until the result of the court-martial to be held in the case shall have been made known. The newspapers admit that Vice Admiral Tryon blundered in giving the order he did for the manœuvre that led to the accident, and state that he further blundered when he signaled to the vessels of the squadron not to lower their boats, which they were upon the point of doing for the purpose of going to the rescue of those on the Victoria.

The fund being raised by Lord Mayor Stuart Knill for the benefit of the families of those who lost their lives through the foundering of the Victoria now amounts to £30,000

Numerous private letters concerning the sinking of the Victoria have been received from sailors of the Mediterranean fleet. One sailor, who was on one of the smaller vessels, writes in reference to Admiral Tryon's signal: "We all stood amazed at such a signal, knowing very well that there was not room for the ships to turn, but the orders had to be obeyed. Although the vessel was sinking under him Tryon signaled refusing boats. May I never see such a case of wholesale murder again.

"We saw the men fall in at command, four deep, on the forecastle till the water reached their feet. They then received orders to fall in on the quarter deck. All the time they never attempted to go near the boats. This will show you how naval discipline is ground into people. The whole fleet could see the poor fellows standing in perfect order quietly drowning in their ranks."

Importance of Newspapers.

The Philadelphia *Press*, detailing the growing importance of American newspapers, says: "The day when a Greeley, a Bennett or a Raymond can start a newspaper on a capital of brains and courage is past. The expense of establishing a newspaper is too great, the competition too strong, and both these factors are becoming more important every day. As Mr. Seott said in his address: "There is not a newspaper in a large city in America which does not on each succeeding year run at a greater expense than it did the year before, not only in its editorial department and news department, but in every department of that newspaper. The public, however, get the full benefit of this organization, greater outlay and growing financial independence of newspapers. Editorial expressions become more independent and informatory, their tone is more impartial and less truculent to men and parties, and the range of news is constantly fuller and more accurate.

"What has been accomplished in the past, however, is only the inception or the preface of what the future has in store for the newspaper business of the country, and that its commercial independence demands for it the same consideration as is accorded to any other well-established branch of human activity.

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GENERAL NOTES.

The family of Postmaster General Bissell is spending the summer at Glen Summit, Luzerne county. He spent the Fourth there with them.

Sixteen million dollars were paid out on the 30th ult. for pensions.

William Bashone of Shamokin has fallen heir to $500,000 by the death of his uncle, John Lick of observatory fame.

The State Bank of Lock Haven has closed its doors.

Congressman Mutchler died poor. His son Howard, editor of the *Easton Free Press*, is talked of as his successor.

H. M. Essick has been appointed postmaster at Picture Rocks.

The liabilities of ex-Secretary Foster, who recently failed, are now said to exceed $1,000,000.

President Cleveland and family are at Buzzard's Bay for a few weeks.

Anthony J. Drexel, the great financier of Philadelphia, died suddenly, at Carlsbad, Germany, on Friday. The body will be brought home.

A sad case of suspended animation has been brought to light at White Haven. A few months ago the wife of Charles Bogard, of Morrison, died. Since then the man has been mentally unbalanced. He believed that his wife had been foully treated.

To satisfy him, his friends disinterred the body and to their horror found that the woman had been buried alive. The clothes were torn to shreds the flesh furrowed and in the hands were clutched bunches of hair.

The duke of Veragua and party sailed from New York Saturday on the French line steamship La Bretague.

Captain Anderson, of the Viking, was nearly drowned one mile east of Clyde, New York, Saturday, while bathing.

Scott Wilke, of Illinois, the new assistant secretary of the treasury, has qualified and entered at once upon the duties of his position.

Secretary Herbert has appointed Miss Letitia C. Tyler, of Alabama, grand-daughter of ex-President Tyler, to a clerkship in the bureau of supplies and accounts in the navy department.

Ex-President Harrison is summering at Cape May.

Robert P. Porter, Superintendent of census, has resigned.

William Pinckney and Daniel Barber, both colored, were hanged at Marlboro, Md., last Friday, for the murder of a wealthy farmer named Francis M. Bowie on March 26, last.

Governor Pattison and the World's Fair Committee are in Chicago this week. Attorney-General Hensel and Secretary of the Commonwealth W. F. Harrity are with them.

One hundred and forty miners were imprisoned in a coal mine at Yorkshire, England, on Tuesday, by an explosion.

Paris was plunged into a reign of terror on the Fourth by a desperate battle between students and the police. Several persons were badly injured.

The Pennsylvania Chautauqua is in session at Mt. Gretna.

A reunion of Rickett's Battery was held at Wilkes-Barre on Monday. Only twenty-nine men survive and all were present. Col. R. B. Ricketts presided at the meeting.

George, Duke of York, son of the Prince of Wales, and Princess May of Teck, were married yesterday in the chapel Royal, London, The Duke is the heir presumptive to the throne of England.

There are seven villages in Iowa whose inhabitants live under laws of their own, but respect the laws of the state and nation. There are few pleasures for the young people, and no musical instruments are tolerated. There are no loafers and no idlers, no want and no strife for gain. They call themselves the Amana Society. There are 2,500 members.

Cicero Harrison, a relative of ex-President Harrison has disappeared mysteriously from the steamship Guyandotte, while going from Norfolk to New York. He had a large sum of money with him.

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THE REICHSTAG OPENED

Emperor William's Speech to the New Legislature.

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In a Firm Voice He Stated the Needs of the Country, Reviewed Recent Events, and Marked Out the Government's Plan—Heartily Cheered.

BERLIN, July 5.—The Reichstag was opened yesterday by Emperor William in person. At noon the Castle Guards marched into the White Saloon, which occupies the southeastern corner of the Royal Palace, and took positions about the dais from which His Majesty was to read his speech opening the session. Following the Guards came the members of the Bundesrath, the representatives of the individual States composing the German Empire. After them came the Ministers of State and the members of the Reichstag.

EMPEROR WILLIAM.

When all had taken the positions assigned to them the Prince of Pless, Grand Marshal of the Court, announced the approach of the Emperor by knocking upon the floor with his staff of office. The Emperor, attired in full military uniform, entered the saloon and proceeded directly to the dais, which was erected to the right of the press gallery. Bowing low, Chancellor von Caprivi handed the manuscript of the imperial speech to the Emperor. Holding himself erect, His Majesty, in a firm and clear voice, read as follows:

"Honored gentlemen:

"Since you have been called in common to work for the Federal Government, I desire to welcome you upon entering on your deliberations. A bill concerning the peace footing of the army, which was submitted to the former Reichstag, to my regret did not find approval. It was the unanimous conviction, shared by all my high confederates, that the Empire no longer could afford to renounce the development of the army system necessary to guarante the future safety of the Empire. In face of the development of military institutions, the rejection of the Army bill was bound to lead to the resolution to dissolve the Reichstag and order new elections.

"Since the first introduction of the bill the political situation in Europe has experienced no change. The relations of the Empire with other powers are thoroughly friendly and free from all clouds. The proportion of Germany's organized military strength has, however, changed for the worse during the past year when compared with that of our neighbors. If already Germany's geographical position and historical development lay upon us the duty to maintain a relatively strong army, then a further increase in the military strength of the Empire becomes a forcible necessity to satisfy the duties laid upon me by the constitution. I consider that all the means at our disposal must be utilized in order to establish an effective defence of the Fatherland.

The House Cheered.

"You will receive immediately a new bill regarding the peace footing of the army, in which there will be taken into account as far as possible certain desires expressed during the discussion of the late bill. Consequently, diminished demands are made upon the personal capacities and tax-bearing power of the people as far as possible without endangering the efficiency of the army. The Empire's interest requires, especially in view of the end of the septennate next spring, that the bill be passed with the utmost dispatch, so that the new recruits calls may be made in the autumn on the new basis. Delay would influence most unfavorably our strength for more than twenty years.

"With a view to enabling you to vote undivided attention to the discussion of the bill the Government will not in the meantime introduce any other measures.

"I and my high confederates remain convinced that the means for the new organization can be procured, without overburdening the country, on the basis of the financial bill introduced in the Reichstag last autumn. At the opening of the winter session a bill will be presented directed to obtaining means according to the capability of the taxpayers. Until then the increased costs will be covered by the federated States through matriculation payments.

"Gentlemen—With great sacrifices Germany has been united in one Empire. The nation honors most those who staked their blood and property on this work, which led the Fatherland to prosperity. To safeguard the glorious achievements with which God has blessed us in our battle for independence is our most sacred duty. This duty we can only fulfil if we make ourselves strong enough to remain surety for Europe's peace.

"I trust you will not fail to give me and my confederates your patriotic sacrifices and willing support in striving for these aims."

The Emperor's reference to the duty of the members of the Reichstag to preserve and guard that which the nation has won, was greeted with hearty cheers. When the Emperor had concluded his written speech loud and prolonged applause greeted him. His Majesty stood waiting for quiet to be restored, and when he could be heard he added a few improvised remarks, saying:

"Now then, go. The old God looks upon you and will lend you His blessing to complete this honest work for the benefit of the Fatherland, Amen."

The Bavarian Minister called for three cheers for the Emperor, which were given with a hearty good will.

The uniform worn by the Emperor was that of the Garde du Corps.

The members of the Social Democratic and Radical Peoples' parties and some of the Anti-Semimites were not present at the ceremony of opening the House. Most of the members of the Centre or Catholic party were present, and there was a full attendance of the Government groups.

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10,000 Persons Drowned.

MANY MORE LEFT HOMELESS.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 6th. — The steamer Belgic arrived from Hong Kong and Yokohoma to-day bringing the following advices:

One of the branches of the Weiling river has overflowed in consequence of the heavy rains. At Shaking and Woole it is estimated over 1,000 persons were drowned and as many more left homeless.

Incessant rains in Nanigfu have been succeeded by disastrous floods devastating a vast area of country, and according to a telegram received by the native authorities at Shanghai nearly 10,000 people have been drowned and crushed to death by falling houses.

The mission premises at Kianstin, above Ching King, on the Yan Tse, were attacked by a mob May 15 and partially destroyed. The inmates, Misses Anderson and Ramsay, of the China overland mission, and Miss Southal, of the Friends' session, escaped into the house of a neighbor. It is stated that three of the ring-leaders were captured and imprisoned.

Latest advices from Hankow report United States steamship Monocacy when it went on Sunday island was not badly injured. The vessel lost three anchors before she got off. She is to be relieved on the Upper Yang Tse by the Merion.

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Mrs. Houser—"Humph. How was the man's pocket they found 'em in?

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FOR COUNTY SURVEYOR,
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FOR DISTRICT ATTORNEY,
THOMAS B. HANLY,
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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
MAHLON HAMLIN,
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FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER,
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FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
A. B. CROOP,
of Briarcreek township.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
J. R. FOWLER,
of Pine township.

FOR REGISTER AND RECORDER,
CHARLES B. ENT,
of Scott township.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
JOSEPH P. DEWITT,
of Greenwood township.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
C. A. KLEIM,
of Bloomsburg.

FOR PROTHONOTARY AND CLERK OF THE COURTS
G. M. QUICK
of Bloomsburg.

FOR COUNTY TREASURER,
I. J. HESS,
of Centre township.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER
JOHN N. GORDON,
of Montour township.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
CHARLES REICHART,
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G. M. IKELER,
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FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER,
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BLOOMSBURG, PA.

FRIDAY, JULY 7, 1893.

H. F. Sharpless and wife of Pueblo, Colorado, are visiting relatives here.

John Bush has sold his building at Jamison City to Jerry Vansickle for $1,200.

Dr. James B. Neal will speak in the A. M. E. Church on the afternoon of Sunday, July 23rd, at 3 o'clock.

The new steam boat has not been launched yet. The machinery is being placed in position.

J. K. Lockard is a grandfather, his daughter, Mrs. Freas Hicks of Hummelstown, having given birth to a daughter.

Harman & Hassert paid on the 3rd instead of the 10th, their usual payday, to accommodate their employees.

All that honesty, experience and skill can do to produce a perfect pill, has been employed in making DeWitt's Little Early Risers. The result is a specific for sick headache, biliousness and constipation. W. S. Rishton, Druggist. 10-14-1y.

J. L. and W. S. Moyer and their families and Mr. and Mrs C. W. McKelvy Sr. spent the 4th at Major Vance's near Orangeville.

Charles Hamilton of the Exchange Hotel, expects to take charge of the Witmer House at Northumberland soon.

One word describes it—"perfection." We refer to De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve, cures obstinate sores, burns, skin diseases and is a well known cure for piles. W. S. Rishton, Druggist. 10-14-1yr.

The following letters are held at the Bloomsburg, Pa., Post Office and will be sent to the dead letter office July 18, 1893.

A. E. Artman, Mr. J. P. Lord, Miss Gertrude Shultz.

Cards: John Fenstermacher.

Persons calling for these letters will please say they were advertised July 4, 1893.

One cent will be charged on each letter advertised.

A. B. CATHCART, P. M

To gain strength—Hood's Sarsaparilla.

For steady nerves—Hood's Sarsaparilla.

For pure blood—Hood's Sarsaparilla.

Bryfogle Bros. had a lot of beautiful water lilies from Lily Lake, for sale on Monday.

Fashionable Livery.

The well known horseman has opened a fashionable livery in connection with his boarding stable at the Exchange Hotel Stables, where fine turnouts can be obtained, single or double. He has well broken and safe saddle and driving horses for ladies, all at reasonable rates. Orders left at the Exchange Hotel will receive prompt attention. Drivers furnished when desired.

tf W. A. HARTZELL, Proprietor

The Hess re-union will be held this year on Thursday, August 10th. It is quite probable that Oak Grove, Bloomsburg will be chosen as the place for the assemblage. The committee seems to be unanmious in its choice of the place. Efforts are being made to make the occasion the most interesting of any of its three predecessors.

While the boys were standing in line in front of Gidding & Salsburg's on the Fourth waiting for their fire crackers, C. G. Duffy, the photographer, took a photograph of them.

Charles H. Reice has put a new meat delivery wagon on the road.

A disgraceful fight took place at Oak Grove on Monday night. Knives and pistols were drawn and some of the participants were cut. No arrests.

Frank Casey, a son of of Thomas Casey, met with a slight accident Tuesday evening by the explosion of a cannon cracker.

The presentation speech at the giving of the portrait of Prof. Carver to the Normal School on Commencement Day was made by John M. Clark Esq. The picture was presented by the classes of '70 and '71, and students who attended the school earlier than that.

M. C. Woodward, Tax collector will be at the office of Guy Jacoby Esq. on Thursday, Friday, Saturday 17, 18, 19th. and Thursday, Friday, Saturday 24. 25, and 26th, between the hours of 2 and 6 o'clock p. m. to receive county, school, poor, State and dog tax. All taxes paid upon above dates will have a reduction of five per centum.

Father McGlynn Talks About His Recent Visit to Rome.

NEW YORK, July 6.—The Rev. Dr. McGlynn has at last said something about the recent visit to Rome and his treatment by the pope and by Catholic dignitaries at home and abroad. It was at the World's Fair grounds in Chicago that he was induced to consent to a brief interview, which has been telegraphed to this city.

"I went to Rome," he said, "not to settle or to reopen my case. Mgr. Satolli had settled it satisfactorily, and months before. I did not have to go any way but I had promised Mgr. Satolli that I would personally pay my respects to the pope and receive his apostolic benediction. It was an act of courtesy which I was very glad to perform. I was in Rome only five days, and was most cordially received by Cardinal Rampola, who at once arranged an interview with the holy father. I was very kindly received by him and after an audience of some fifteen minutes I left with his blessing.

"How about the rumor that you are to be restored to your old parish at St. Stephen's?".

"I hardly expect that," said Dr. McGlynn. "I hope to say more in public soon, but no arrangements for a permanent pastorate are yet made for me. I notified Bishop McDonnell before last Christmas that my faculties had been restored and asked permission to say mass publicly somewhere in Brooklyn. He replied that he did not think it best to grant my request, but that I might say mass in absolute privacy in St. John's college chapel. Not even members of my own household could be present. I said mass in private at Christmas and then consulted Mgr. Satolli on the matter. Upon his advice, I again wrote to the bishop, saying that as I was fully restored to the priesthood I considered myself entitled to say mass publicly, and again asked his permission. After long delay Bishop McDonnell replied that members of my family might be present at the Easter mass, but no one else.

"I hope soon to be allowed to celebrate the mass in public before my friends."

Good Looks.

Goods looks are more than skin deep, depending upon a healthy condition of all the vital organs. If the Liver be inactive, you have a Billious Look, if your stomach be disordered you have a Dyspeptic Look, and if your Kidneys be affected you have Pinched Look. Secure good health and you will have good looks. Electric Bitters is the great alterative and Tonic acts directly on these vital organs. Cures Pimples Blotches, Boils and gives a good complexion. Sold at C. A. Kleim's Drug-store, 50c. per bottle.

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——That's what it costs when made from——

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Time required to make it, 10 minutes. A 20 cent bottle makes 5 GALLONS of DELICIOUS and SPARKLING Beer. Try a bottle.

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THE NATION'S BIRTHDAY

How the Fourth Was Celebrated in Many Places.

AN IMMENSE CROWD AT THE FAIR

Ringing Speeches Made by Vice-President Stephenson and Others—Enthusiastic People Enjoy the Exercises—Gen. Davis' Washington Elm Gavel.

WORLD'S FAIR GROUNDS, CHICAGO, July 5.—The national holiday started out to chronicle the largest attendance since the opening of the World's Fair. The special rates given by all railroads attracted many thousands of visitors from the surrounding States, and the general cessation of business in the city gave Chicagoans an opportunity to come out in full force.

By 9 o'clock about 100,000 people were on the grounds, and shortly after mid-day this number was more than doubled.

At 11 o'clock a dense throng of thousands filled the enclosure between the Administration Building and Terminal station, and the arrival of each person of prominence was greeted by cheers.

Shortly after 10 o'clock Mayor Harrison and the city officials and common council of Chicago entered the grounds in carriages led by the Second Regiment of the Illinois National Guards. Inside the gates a large crowd of exhibitors and visitors was drawn up in double columns under the command of Major Pangborn as Chief Marshal. After a somewhat popular greeting Mayor Harrison and his party proceeded directly to the stair near the terminal station and were seated with the national commissioners, directors and chiefs of departments.

Director-General George R. Davis opened the ceremonies in a few words appropriate to the day, and Rev. John Henry Barrows, of Chicago, followed in prayer.

Great applause greeted Vice-President Stevenson as he stepped forward to deliver the opening address.

He spoke of the great assemblage and auspiciousness of the place for celebrating Independance Day, and was glad of the honor of addressing the assembly.

An applause such as can only be given by a throng of over 150,000 people followed the address.

A chorus of 2,000 voices than sang "Columbia the Gem of the Ocean."

The Hon. Carter H. Harrison, of Chicago was the next speaker. He was given a greeting by the multitude that was quite as hearty and enthusiastic as that accorded Vice-President Stevenson and the crowd listened attentively to all that he had to say. He welcomed the tens of thousands of visitors from every State in the Union and every country on the face of the earth and told of the untiring energy Chicago had displayed in building the great exposition. He dwelt at length on the celebration of the Fourth of July and spoke of the reason for observing it.

Mayor Harrison was frequently interrupted by applause during his speech, and at the close the shouts and cheers of the vast multitude was such that it fairly made the ground tremble.

The Hon. Hampton L. Carson, of Philadelphia, made an address following Mayor Harrison. Then there was a salute of the flags and "Old Glory" was given one of the grandest greetings it has ever received. The great chorus struck up the "Star Spangled Banner" and the enthusiastic throng quickly caught up the tune and swelled the grandeur of the soul-stirring song. The effect was sublime.

The "Declaration of Independence" was read by J. S. Norton, of Chicago, and during the reading the great audience maintained a respectful and attentive silence. "My Country, 'Tis of Thee," was sung, and again the crowd took up the song and carried it through to the end. The exercises were concluded by the singing of the doxology.

A Unique Gavel.

A pleasing incident occurred when Director-general Davis took his seat on the platform. Col. C. H. Clarke, of Milwaukee, stepped forward and presented him a gavel made from a piece of the famous Washington Elm at Cambridge, Mass. In presenting the gavel Col. Clarke said:

"Director-general Davis, 118 years ago, Washington arrived at Cambridge, Mass., drew his sword and took command of the Continental army under the tree now known as the Washington Elm. I take pleasure in presenting you with a gavel for this morning's services made from the wood of that now famous tree.

At the stroke of noon the Paul Jones Flag was hoisted and the electric button dedicating the New Liberty Bell now in the foundry at Troy, N. Y., was pressed by Mrs. Madge Morris Wagner and Miss Minnie F. Mickley, of San Diego, Cal.

AT THE NATIONAL CAPITAL.

The Day Celebrated Upon an Unusually Extensive Scale.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—Celebration of the Fourth of July at the national capitol was upon an unusually extensive scale this year. It opened with religious services at Epiphany church, conducted by Rev. Dr. McKim, in the presence of the Sons of the Revolution, Sons of the American Revolution, and Daughters of the Revolution. Then the three societies proceeded to the grounds of the Washington Monument, where, after the reading of the Declaration of Independence, two speeches were made, interspersed with music.

While these exercises were being held the "Oldest Inhabitants" were entertaining the "veteran firemen" at Willard's Hall, after which they sat down to dinner at Willard's hotel, followed by patriotic speeches in response to toasts.

The most elaborate celebration was that conducted by the Citizens' association of Mount Pleasant, in the northern part of the city, which lasted all day, closing with a display of fireworks in the evening. It was held at Ingleside, the manor grounds of Col. Corkhill.

Nick Young, president of the National Baseball League, umpired a game between the bachelors and benedicts.

In the afternoon speeches and the reading of the Declaration of Independence were the order.

Other societies observed the day in a formal manner. Among them Wimadaughsis, with a programme containing only ladies, and the colored order of the Odd Fellows.

Athletics at the various parks attracted large crowds, and races between local horses at Bennings provided sport for lovers of the turf.

Business, of course, was suspended in all the departments of government service and in the commercial world generally; the weather was all that could be desired, and everybody who could do so found his way into the open air.

JOHN R. TOWNSEND,

MERCHANT TAILOR.

CORNER OF MARKET AND MAIN STREETS,

BLOOMSBURG.

D. P. Crossley, an old resident of Benton, died on Wednesday. He had been sick for a long time.

A lot of new notes of the sharpest kind have just been printed and are for sale at this office. Also common receipts, estate receipts, and collectors' receipts, neatly bound in books of 25, 50 and 100. tf.

Hon. Theodore Runyon, recently appointed Minister of the United States to Berlin, is a cousin of our townsman, Mr. Layton Runyon.

The August Number of *Harper's Magazine* will contain a large amount of fiction. Besides a story by Richard Harding Davis, called "His Bad Angel," and a one-scene play by Mr. W. D. Howells, entitled "Bride Roses," there will be short stories by Herbert Ward, F. Mary Wilson, and Mrs. E. Levi Brown. The last-named writer, who is the wife of a colored minister in the South, has constructed a tale of unusual power out of the superstitions of her race. It presents a view of the Southern negro from the stand point of a more intimate and sympathetic knowledge than has belonged to previous writers in this field.

Ignorance of the merits of DeWitt's Little Early Risers is a misfortune. These little pills regulate the liver, cure headache, dyspepsia, bad breath, constipation and biliousness. W. S. Rishton, Druggist. 10-14-1y.

The Bishop and the Profane Man.

From the San Francisco Wave.

"Can't spot the place, but I've seen you before. Where in h— did I know you, anyhow?" asked a Californian on meeting the Bishop at a San Francisco auction in a very unclerical garb. "I cannot say," retorted the ecclesiastical dignitary, "what part of hell are you from?"

This is the time of year when everybody begins to think about cleaning up and making improvements, and new wall paper is usually one of the first things to be done. W. H. Brooke & Co. have a very large and elegant stock to select from. Call and see and get estimates. 3-31-tf.

Just for a Change.

Ownhouse.—"Talk about your female Amazons. I ran across a woman up in the country last Summer who made one hundred pounds of butter in one day without turning a hair."

Boardliv.—"Without turning a hair! Say, would you mind dropping in and telling that story to my landlady. "Mebbe she'll take a notion to try some of that butter.

If you can afford to be annoyed by sick headache and constipation, don't use DeWitt's Little Early Risers for these little pills will cure them. W. S. Rishton, Druggist. 10-14-1y.

The storm in Sugarloaf township on Monday was a terrific one. Besides S. S. Fritz's barn, the lightning struck in six other places in that vicinity, burning trees, but injuring no other buildings. Mr. Fritz lost all that was in the barn except the horses. A number of new sheds recently erected were not covered by the insurance of $400. His loss is three times that amount.

A Great Bargain.

One of the very best water power flour and grist mills on big Fishing-creek with good buildings, new machinery, two dwellings, and other out buildings all in good order, and nine acres of land for sale cheap on easy payments by J. H. MAIZE,
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They All Try.

Night Editor (of New England paper)—Has the editorial correspondence from Chicago got in yet?

Telegraph Editor—It's on the wire now.

"How does it begin?".

"'The glories of the great Columbian exposition are simply indescribable.'"

Shouting to foreman through speaking tube. "Save about three columns for description of Chicago fair!"

We could not improve the quality if paid double the price. DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve is the best Salve that experience can produce, or that money can buy. W. S. Rishton, druggist. 10-14-1y.

A CHANCE OF THE SEASON.

A great many of our Dear Readers have probably put off buying your Summer Suit, Pants, or whatever it is in the Clothing line. You kept saying: "Well, I'll wait a few days—those few days have stretched into weeks and still you haven't bought. Well, to you FOLKS, we mean those who haven't bought, we have this to say:—You didn't get your Clothing quite as early as your neighbor but you have the advantage of saving some money. That's what we're going to do for you. We do not want to carry one suit over until next season. That's the way we do business We'll clean them out at any cost even at a sacrifice. We are now selling regular Ten, Twelve and Fourteen Dollar Suits for Eight and Ten Dollars each. Single Pants, regular Three, Four and Five Dollar ones at a great deal less.

Sole agents for SWEET, ORR & CO'S Working Clothes.

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Flowerings and embroideries in endless variety at M. Ellenbogen's.

Window curtains and fixtures in gaeat variety at W. H. Brooke & Co's.

Children's hats 18 cts. and upwards at M. Ellenbogen's.

Estimates furnished for wall paper. Contract work solicited. Competent workmen sent anywhere.
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Go to Mercer's Drug and Book store for Hammocks, prices from 90 cts. to $3.50.

Wall paper and window shades at lowest prices.
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It can be given in a glass of beer, a cup of coffee or tea, or in food, without the knowledge of the patient. It is absolutely harmless, and will effect a permanent and speedy cure, whether the patient is a moderate drinker or alcoholic wreck. It has been given in thousands of cases, and in every instance a perfect cure has followed. It never fails. The system once impregnated with the specific it becomes an utter impossibility for the liquor appetite to exist. Cures guaranteed. 48 page book of particulars free. Address the GOLDEN SPECIFIC CO., 185 Race Street, Cincinnati, Ohio. 10-21-1 yr.

Special Bargains at E. Barkley's in trimmed hats and Childrens' caps.

New edition of Episcopal Hymnals at W. H. Brooke & Co's.

Best ladies' vests for 15 cts.; ladies' vests 6 cts. upwards. Fine ladies' underwear at M. Ellenbogen's.

Hammocks from 90 cents to $3.50 at Mercer's Drug and Book store.

Largest line of ladies' waists in town. White embroidered waists, 50 cts. at M. Ellenbogen's.

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Are you going to paper your house? Give us a call. Get estimates and prices. W. H. Brooke & Co.

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THE BEST SALVE in the world for Cuts, Bruises, Sores, Ulcers, Salt Rheum, Fever Sores, Tetter, Chapped Hands, Chilblains, Corns, and all Skin Eruptions, and positively cures Piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box.
For sale by C. A. Kleim.

Little vegetable health producers: DeWitt's Little Early Risers cure malarious disorders and regulate the stomach and bowels, which prevents headache and dizziness. W. S Rishton, Druggist. 10-14 1y

HARVEY'S LAKE.

Lake Grove Hotel, located at this popular resort, has been enlarged, remodelled and refurnished, and is now the largest hotel on the lake. All modern improvements, good fishing and boating, telephone connection, high elevation, pure air, no mosquitos. Steamboats meet all trains. Terms reasonable. For particulars address S. Gottfried, Proprietor, Harvey's Lake, Pa. 6-23-10-t.

THE POPE AND THE CZAR

Greek Church About to be Turned Over to Rome.

STATEMENT COMES FROM SATOLLI

If Leo Accomplishes This it Will be a Long Step Toward Bringing About the Disarmament of Europe and Eternal Peace.

TACOMA, July 5.—Mgr. Satolli, Ablegate of Pope Leo, states through Dr. O'Gorman that there are pending diplomatic negotiations to bring the Greek church of all Rus-

THE POPE.

sia, now under personal control of the Czar, into the keeping of the Vatican.

Father O'Gorman was asked to reduce this statement to writing and have Mgr. Satolli sign it in order that there might be no question as to its authenticity. He said: "That is unnecessary, I spoke for Mgr. Satolli. I have talked the whole matter over with him, and you may say that he says it through me, his interpreter."

THE CZAR.

Father O'Gorman is professor of ecclesiastical history in the Catholic university at Washington, and here and elsewhere during the tour of Mgr. Satolli and party has been the spokesman of the Pope's ablegate.

Churchmen take it for granted that if the Czar is to place his state church under the control of Rome, it is the interest of Leo's hope to effect the disarmament of the great nations of the world and secure ultimate universal peace and the arbitration of international quarrels.

RIOTING IN PARIS.

Many Policemen and Students Injured—Fires in the Streets.

PARIS, July 4.—Intense excitement prevailed in the Latin quarter this morning. Students and police fought repeatedly. Fifteen policemen and many students were injured seriously.

The students upset the street booths and set fire to many of them.

M. Loze, Prefect, and M. Vignie, Secretary-general of police, were in the district all night, directing the police force.

Three Young Murderers.

NEW YORK, July 5.—Three boys, Frank Lago, aged 12; Patrick Radigan, aged 9, and John Maloney, aged 9, were arraigned in the Tombs police court this morning, charged with causing the death of Thomas Maloney, aged 10, by drowning last Thursday night. Thomas Maloney was sitting on a box on the Beekman street dock when one of the boys pushed the box over, and Maloney fell into the river and was drowned.

Shot by a Messenger Boy.

BROOKLYN, July 5.—Andrew Anderson, an American District messenger, shot T. Murray, 33 years of age, while delivering meat on Seventh avenue this morning. Murray was taken to the Seney hospital. His condition is considered serious. Anderson is still at large.

Czarewitch in Peril.

BERLIN, July 5.—It is reported that a futile attempt was made to wreck the train of the Czarewitch near Dimaburg, Government of Vitebsk, while he was on his way to London to attend the royal wedding. No particulars are given.

Miss Schiebler Committed.

NEW YORK, July 5.—Christina Schiebler, who last night shot and killed her friend, Henry Sohl, was committed to the Tombs by Coroner McKenna to await the result of the inquest, which will be heard on Thursday morning.

Ten Will Graduate After All.

TERRE HAUTE, Ind., July 5.—President Parsons, of the State Normal School, says ten members of the senior class have signed one of the two papers presented to them and certificates of graduation are to be issued to them.

NEWS OF THE DAY.

The office of the Belford Publishing company, in Chicago, is in charge of a constable, on account of a judgment for services.

Emperor William has conferred upon Dr. Johannes Miquel, Prussian Minister of Finance, the decoration of the Grand Cross of the Order of the Red Eagle.

The Ohio State Board of Pardons has refused the application of Frank Von Loon, the Columbus bank robber and murderer of Father Vandermark, for commutation of sentence, and he will be executed July 7.

The Moses Coulee bridge on the Great Northern railroad at Spokane, Wash., burned last night. It was 924 feet long and 135 feet wide. It will take three weeks to replace the bridge, during which passengers will be transferred.

WILD TIME IN COURT.

A Husband Shoots Five Times at His Wife's Murderer.

TEXARKANA, Ark., July 5.—While the examining trial of S. E. Lee for the killing of Mrs. Jesse Hale, which occurred in this city some days ago, was in progress before Justice Edwards, Hale, the husband of the deceased, entered the court room with two little daughters, and, advancing to where Lee was sitting in the prisoners' dock, drew a revolver and opened fire on the slayer of his wife.

He fired five times, the second shot striking Lee in the thigh and making a dangerous wound. Lee owes his life to a large stove, behind which he took refuge. The scene in the court room was a wild one, judge, lawyers and witnesses taking refuge from the flying bullets.

Hale was placed under arrest, and Lee's trial postponed to await the result of his injuries.

TWENTY - SIX KILLED.

The Boiler of a Steamboat on the Volga Explodes.

A Russian General Among the Dead—The Wrecked Boat Burned to the Water and Sank to the Bottom.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 5.—A terrible disaster, resulting in large loss of life, occurred to-day on the steamer Alfons, a boat employed in the river trade on the Volga.

The steamer, with quite a number of passengers on board, was approaching Romanov, when her boilers exploded, killing twenty-six of the passengers.

Among the dead is Gen. Petrushewski.

The explosion tore the upper part of the steamer to pieces, and the burning coals that were blown from the furnaces set fire to the work. The boat burned to the water's edge and then sank.

HENRY STARRS' WILD CAREER.

Only 22 Years Old and Must Answer for Several Crimes.

COLORADO SPRINGS, Col., July 5.—Henry Starr, who was arrested Sunday with John Wilson, confesses that he is the man wanted for killing the United States Marshal at Fort Smith, Ark., but he claims it was in self-defense. United States Marshal Crum wires that requisition papers are now on the way, and that Starr and Wilson must be held till his arrival. Special Agent Taylor of the Santa Fe, who is in this city, thinks the two men robbed the train at Cimarron on June 10 last.

Starr will stand charged with every crime upon the calendar—murder, train and bank robbery, whisky selling, etc. Starr is only 22 years of age, and began his career of crime only about a year ago. There are rewards amounting to $3,000 for his arrest.

Midwinter Fair is a Go.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 5.—Three hundred thousand dollars have been offered the managers of the proposed Midwinter Fair by voluntary subscription before the systematic canvass has begun, and there seems to be no doubt that a million can be raised without great difficulty. The subscriptions include amounts from $50,000 from the Southern Pacific, down to $1. The projectors had determined to go ahead on a $500,000 basis, but it appears now that the plan will have to be enlarged. Headquarters have been established in this city, and an active campaign for the fair has begun.

A Woman Saved By a Woman.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., July 5.—Miss Annie Ferguson, of Philadelphia, a visitor at one of the cottages here, was hauled out of the surf this morning by a woman companion as she was sinking beneath the breakers. The young lady had remained in the surf too long, and was so fatigued that when hit by a breaker she was knocked over and could not regain her feet. Her rescuer refused to give her name.

Rolled Out of Bed to His Death.

NEW YORK, July 5.—At 3:50 this morning the body of James Knowles, a longshoreman, was found by a policeman in an alley at the place where he boarded. He retired last night under the influence of liquor. His bed was on a level with the open window, and it is supposed that he rolled from the bed out of the window.

The Break in the Erie Canal.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 5.—The break which occurred yesterday in the Erie canal three miles east of here has caused more damage than was at first thought. About ten miles of farm land is flooded and valuable crops are destroyed. Traffic will be delayed about a week.

Twenty Horses Burned.

SARATOGA, N. Y., July 5.—Gurdon Conkling's large barn and horse hospital on the Grassland's Stock Farm near Dunham's Basin, Washington county, was burned last night. There were 38 valuable horses, brood mares and colts in the buildings, and only 18 of them were saved.

Cadets to Go to Chicago.

WEST POINT, July 5.—The superintendent of the Military Academy has been informed by the Secretary of War that he has decided to send the corps of cadets to Chicago. The cadets now in camp will strike tents August 10 and proceed to the World's Fair.

Short Legislative Sessions Hereafter.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 5.—The Kentucky legislature after being in session 531 days adjourned sine die, yesterday. The cost to the State was $600,000 and hereafter sessions will be limited by law to sixty days.

A Bad Bank Failure.

DENVER, Col., July 5.—The failure of the Chaffee county bank at Salida Saturday proves to have been a bad one, and it looks as though the institution had been looted. Liabilities are $80,000, and genuine assets only $8,000.

Nawob of Rampur Lands.

VICTORIA, B. C., July 5.—The Nawob of Rampur and party arrived here yesterday morning from Alaska. They left last evening for Banff, en route to Chicago. The party consists of thirteen, including ervants.

LABOR NOTES.

Word has been received at Pittsburg, that the Findley Rolling mill of Findley, O., had signed the union scale. This company employs 200 men.

The five daily papers in Denver have asked compositors to accept a reduction from 50 to 40 cents a thousand ems. The printers say they will not accept.

Did They Sit Up Late Nights?

"Can I see your father for a few moments before I go, Miss Hendricks?" he asked. "I want to speak to him upon a matter of importance."

"Certainly, Mr. Sampson," replied the girl, with a blush.

After Mr. Sampson had taken his departure, with a happy smile on his face, Miss Hendricks found her way to her father's shoulder, and, stealing one arm about his neck, whispered:

"What did he want, papa?"

"He is agent for a patent gas burner," said the old man, "and I've agreed to give it a trial."—Boston Globe.

An Accommodating Mental.

"Why didn't you come when I rang?" said a Texas lady to her servant, Matilda Snowball.

"Because I didn't heah de bell."

"Hereafter when you don't hear the bell you must come and tell me so!"

"Yes'm."—Texas Siftings.

Unkind.

Elderly Maiden (out rowing with a possible suitor and a little sister, who is frightened by the waves)—Theodora! If you are so nervous now, what will you be at my age?

Little Sister (meekly)—Thirty-seven, I suppose.—London Tid-Bits.

In Sunday School.

Pretty Teacher—Now, Johnny, can you tell me what is meant by a miracle?

Johnny—Yes'm. Mother says ef yew don't ketch the new parson it will be a miracle.—Judge.

A Rouser.

Employer—What! On time? This is the first time in a month. Have you bought an alarm clock?

Clerk—No; a folding bed.—Puck.

INTERESTED SOLICITUDE.

Wilkins—Ah! if there is anything I like to see it is conjugal affection. Just look at the care Popleigh is taking of his wife.

Bilkins—Yes; he told me yesterday that that dress cost him seventy-five dollars.—Puck.

Their French Gave Out.

Mamie enters a horse car and finds a friend there. They kiss effusively.

Mamie (after seating herself)—Comment vous portez-vous, ma chere Susie?

Susie—Tres bien, je vous remercie, ma chere Mame.

Mamie (after a somewhat awkward pause)—How are you, anyway, Susie?

Susie (enthusiastically)—I'm feeling just out of sight.

Then they rattled on in the vernacular.—Kansas City Times.

Must Be Something Terrible.

Dora—I shan't stand it another minute! I'm going to send him back his ring?

Clara—What? That beautiful diamond ring?

"Yes."

"Horrors! What has he done? Robbed a church, killed his mother, or what?"—N. Y. Weekly.

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"Are your cheeks pale?

"Your eyes dull, and step heavy?

"Does your back and side ache sometimes terribly?

"Are you at times faint and dizzy, with pain in the lower part of your stomach?

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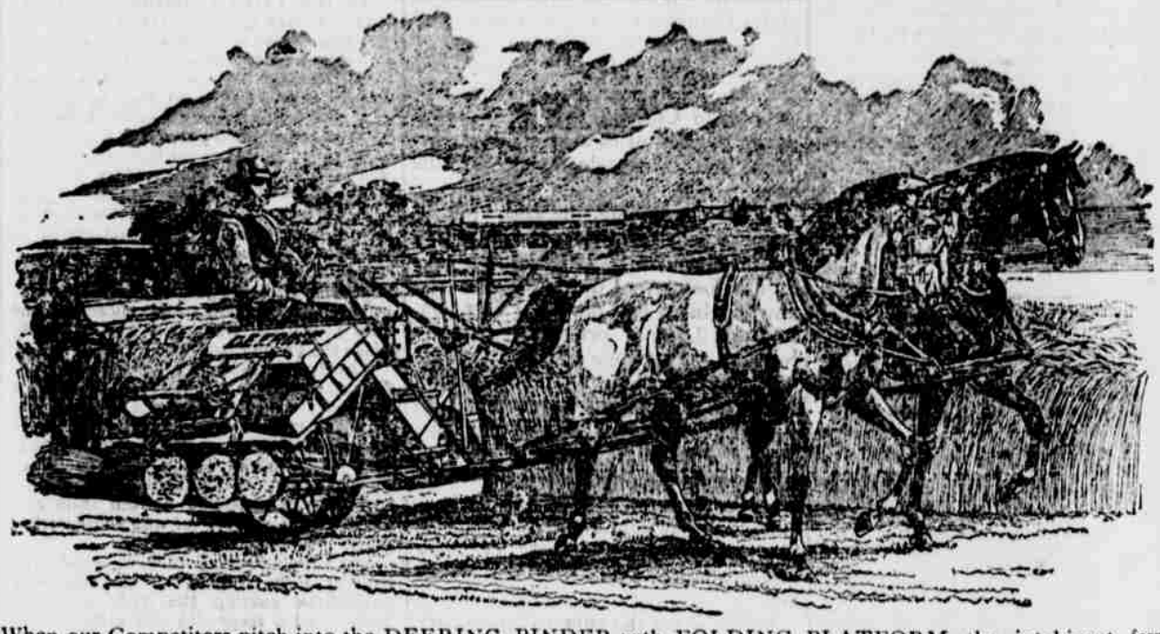

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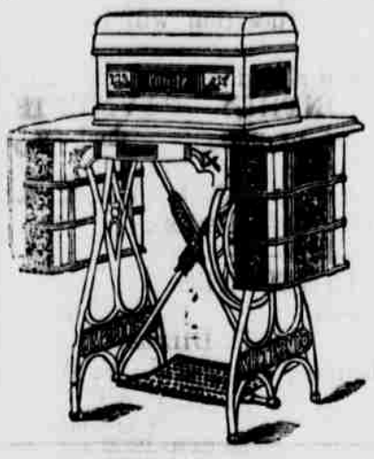

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"I'd send her to the next counter."

"I guess you've had experience."—Texas Siftings.

Ruinous Prosperity.

Servant—Youse'll either have ter give me more wages or youse'll have ter foind a new girrul.

Mrs. Hiram Daly—Why, Nora, you were perfectly satisfied with your wages, and I'm sure I have treated you well.

Servant—Thot's jist it, ma'am; Oi'm gittin' thot fat me clothes won't fit me, an' Oi have to spind all me wages on new ones.—Puck.

More Information.

Tommy—Paw, the paper says that Alderman Glubbins was censured for using "unparliamentary language." What does that mean?

Mr. Figg—Did you say he was an alderman?

"Yep."

"I suppose he happened to speak grammatically."—Indianapolis Journal.

A Sad Case.

Mrs. Bilder—Is your son, who has gone to New York, a good worker?

Mrs. Meakely—Oh, yes; he is very industrious. Why, in the last letter he sent home he said that on arriving in New York he met a man who worked him for all he was worth. But his wages must have been poor, for he sent home for more money.—N. Y. Herald.

A Reason for It.

Mrs. Skaggsby—They say, as a rule, the women are much more impressed with the awful majesty of Niagara falls than the men.

Skaggsby—Certainly. The roar is the only thing in the world against which their tongues stand no show.—Buffalo Courier.

Seems to Fit.

"I call this new shape the Telephone," said a hat dealer to a customer.

"Isn't that rather an odd name for a hat?"

"Perhaps, but you see there is so much talking done through hats now."—Detroit Free Press.

On Their Way Across.

Smiles (entering stateroom 11 a. m.)—Hullo, old man! What you got it so dark in here for? Why don't you throw up the blinds?

Guiles (who had not eaten for forty eight hours)—Ugh! Gad! Didn't know I had eaten any. Ugh!—Brooklyn Life.

It Made a Difference.

Mrs. Cumso—I wouldn't criticise the singer so severely if I were you. He is doing his best.

Mr. Cumso—Oh, in that case it's all right. I was afraid he was doing his worst.—Judge.

Made an Impression.

City Girl—Lord Nabobb must have made quite an impression in this section, didn't he?

Country Girl—Yes, indeed. We took him to a picnic and he sat on a pie.—N. Y. Weekly.

Making Her Happy.

She (bitterly)—Do you remember before we were married how you used to tell me how happy I would be?

He—You ought to be, my dear. Just think how miserable I am.—N. Y. Herald.

AT THE WORLD'S FAIR.

Skudder, Jr.—Pap, what building was that we just passed?

Skudder—Why, that's the Bermuda building. Didn't you see the big onions on the roof?—Chicago Mail

Not So Very Strange.

Milkman—Strange thing just happened up my way. A woman had been ailing for a long time, and yesterday they found that she'd had a live frog in her stomach.

Housekeeper—Did she take milk of you?—N. Y. Weekly.

Willing to Stay In.

Mistress—Will you want more than two nights out a week?

New Girl—Well, no, mum; two will be enough, considerin' that there's no opery this season.—N. Y. Weekly.

Added Years.

Wife—Don't you think this hat makes me look old?

Husband—I don't know. I got the bill for it to-day, and it made me feel old.—Detroit Free Press.

A Disappointment.

"Maud," whispered May, "can you keep a secret?"

"Yes," returned Maud, eagerly.

"So can I," whispered May.—Harper's Bazar.

A Boy's Eyes.

Miss Tenseason—It's a fact. One man committed suicide on my account.

Little Boy (inquiringly)—Was he 'fraid you'd marry him?—Good News

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For New York, Philadelphia, Reading Pottsville, Tamaqua, etc., 6.10, 11.15 a. m.

For Williamsport, 7.15 a. m., 3.32 p. m Sunday, 7.58 a. m., 4.28 p. m.

For Danville and Milton, 7.15 a. m., 3.32, 11.10 p. m. Sunday, 7.57 a. m., 4.27 p. m.

For Catawissa 6.10, 7.45, 11.15 a. m., 12.15, 5.00, 6.30, 11.10 p. m. Sunday, 10.21 a. m. 7.03 p. m.

For Rupert 6.10, 7.45, 11.13 a. m., 12.15, 3.15, 5.00, 6.30, 11.10, 11.35 p. m. Sunday 7.58, 10.21 a. m., 4.28 7.03 p. m.

Trains for Bloomsburg

Leave New York via of Philadelphia 8.00 a. m., 4.00 p. m. and via Easton 8.45 a. m., 4.30 p. m

Leave Philadelphia 10.00 a. m., 4.00 p. m.

Leave Reading 11.50 a. m. 7.57 p. m.

Leave Pottsville 12.30 p. m.

Leave Tamaqua 1.20 a. m., 9.28 p. m.

Leave Williamsport 9 35 a. m., 4.25 p. m. Sunday, 8.00 a. m., 4.25 p. m.

Leave Catawissa 7.00, 8.30 a. m. 1.30, 3.13, 6.10 11.30 p. m. Sunday, 7.45 a. m., 4.15. p m.

Leave Rupert 6.21, 7.08, 8.27, 11.24 a. m., 1.37, 3.37, 4.19, 11.24 p. m. Sundays, 7.59, 10.12 a. m. 4.28 p. m., 6.54.

For Baltimore, Washington and the West via B. & O. R. R., through trains leave Girard Avenue Station, Phila. (P. & R. R. R.) 3.50, 8.01, 11.26 a. m., 3.56, 5.42 7.16 p. m. Sundays 3.50, 8.02 11.26 a. m., 3.56, 5.42, 7.16 p. m.

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Sundays—Express, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.00 a. m., 4.30 p. m. Accomodation, 8.00 a. m., and 4.45 p. m.

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Sundays.—Express, 3.30, 4.00, 5.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30 8.00, 9.30, p. m. Accommodation, 7.30 a. m., and 5.05 p. m.

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STATIONS.	SOUTH. 'Ar. P. M.	Ar. P. M.	Ar. A.M.	Lv. A.M.	Lv. P. M.	Lv. P. M.	Lv P. M.
Bloomsburg	6 28	12 10	7 15	8 35	2 35	6 40	
Main Street	6 18	12 04	7 07	8 42	2 42	6 47	
Irondale	6 16	12 00	7 04	8 45	2 45	6 50	
Paper Mill	6 08	11 52	6 56	8 53	2 53	6 58	
Lightstreet	6 05	11 49	6 53	8 56	2 56	7 12	
Orangeville	5 57	11 38	6 43	9 05	3 07	7 98	
Forks	5 45	11 27	6 33	9 15	3 17	7 20	
Zaner's	5 42	11 24	6 30	9 20	3 20	7 24	
Stillwater	5 37	11 19	6 25	9 27	3 25	7 29	
Benton	5 28	11 09	6 16	9 37	3 33	7 39	
Edsons	5 23	11 04	6 11	9 41	3 38	7 44	
Coles Creek	5 20	11 02	6 09	9 44	3 42	7 48	
Sugarloaf	5 16	11 57	6 03	9 48	3 46	7 52	
Laubachs	5 12	10 54	6 00	9 53	3 50	7 57	
Central	5 08	10 43	5 53	10 03	4 00	8 07	
Jamison City	5 00	10 40	5 50	10 10	4 06	8 10	
	Lv.	Lv.	Lv.	Ar	Ar.		

RAILROAD TIME TABLE

DELAWARE LACKAWANNA & WESTERN RAILROAD.

BLOOMSBURG DIVISION.

STATIONS.	NORTH. A. M.	P. M.	A. M.	P. M.
Northumberland	6 20	1 50		
Cameron	6 35	....	.....	5
Chulasky	6 40	....	.....	5 53
Danville	6 48	2 12	10 26	5 58
Catawissa	7 03	2 26	10 39	6 05
Rupert	7 12	2 31	10 44	6 23
Bloomsburg	7 20	2 36	10 49	6 29
Espy	7 27	2 43	....	6 35
Lime Ridge	7 34	2 50	.....	6 42
Willow Grove	7 38	2 54	.....	6 46
Bristercreek	7 41	....	....	6 50
Berwick	7 48	3 04	11 12	6 56
Beach Haven	7 54	3 10	11 18	7 02
Hick's Ferry	8 00	3 17	...	7 09
Shickshinny	8 10	3 29	11 33	7 22
Hunlock's	8 21	3 39	.....	7 32
Nanticoke	8 26	3 46	11 49	7 39
Avondale	8 30	3 51	.	7 43
Plymouth	8 33	3 56	11 56	7 48
Plymouth Junction	8 40	4 00	.....	7 52
Kingston	8 45	4 05	12 03	7 57
Bennett	8 49	4 08	12 06	8 02
Maltby	8 52	4 12	.....	8 07
Wyoming	8 56	4 17	12 13	8 12
West Pittston	9 01	4 22	.....	8 17
Pittston	9 08	4 30	12 22	8 25
Duryea	9 14	4 34	.....	8 29
Lackawanna	9 16	4 37	.....	8 32
Taylorville	9 25	4 45	12 35	8 42
Bellevue	9 31	4 50	....	8 47
Scranton	9 35	4 55	12 48	8 52
	A. M.	P. M	P. M.	M

STATIONS.	SOUTH. A. M.	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.
Scranton	6 00	9 50	1 35	6 07
Bellevue	6 05	9 55	....	....
Taylorville	6 10	10 00	1 43	6 17
Lackawanna	6 18	10 07	1 52	6 24
Duryea	6 22	10 10	1 55	6 28
Pittston	6 28	10 14	2 00	6 31
West Pittston	6 35	10 20	2 06	6 38
Wyoming	6 40	10 25	2 11	6 43
Maltby	6 44	10 28	....	....
Bennett	6 48	10 32	2 19	6 50
Kingston	6 54	10 35	2 25	6 55
Plymouth Junction	6 59	10 39	2 29	....
Plymouth	7 04	10 44	2 34	7 03
Avondale	7 09	10 48	2 38	7 07
Nanticoke	7 14	10 52	2 42	7 12
Hunlock's	7 20	10 59	2 50	7 20
Shickshinny	7 31	11 09	3 01	7 30
Hicks Ferry	7 44	11 23	3 17	7 41
Beach Haven	7 54	11 32	3 25	7 47
Berwick	8 02	11 40	3 33	7 53
Briar Creek	8 19	..	3 40	....
Willow Grove	8 13	11 50	3 44	8 02
Lime Ridge	8 17	11 56	3 50	8 06
Espy	8 24	12 04	3 58	8 12
Bloomsburg	8 31	12 12	4 05	8 18
Rupert	8 37	12 18	4 12	8 23
Catawissa	8 49	12 33	4 18	8 38
Danville	8 57	12 37	4 38	8 43
Chulasky	9 03	.....	4 46	....
Cameron	9 07	12 46	4 51	8 53
Northumberland	9 22	1 00	5 06	9 07
	A. M.	P. M.	P. M.	P M

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EASTWARD.

9:48 a. m. Train 14 (Daily except Sunday) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Philadelphia 3:00 p. m.; New York 5:50 p. m.; Baltimore, 3:10 p. m.; Washington 4:30 p. m., connecting at Philadelphia for all Sea Shore points. Passenger coaches to Philadelphi Baltimore. Parlor car to Philadelphia.

1:55 p. m. Train 8, (Daily except Sunday,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia at 6:50 p. m.; New York, 9:35 p. m.; Baltimore 6:45 p. m.; Washingto 8:15 p. m. Parlor cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

5.25 p. m. Train 12 [Daily except Sunday] for Harrisburg and intermediate points, arriving at Philadelphia 10:55 p. m. New York 3:50 a. m., Baltimore 10:40 p. m., Washington 4:10 a. m., Passenger coach to Philadelphia.

8:22 p. m.—Train 6, (Daily,) for Harrisburg and all intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 4:30 a. m.; New York 7:10 a. m. Pullman sleeping car from Harrisburg to Philadelphia and New York. Philadelphia passengers can remain in sleeper undisturbed until 7 a. m.

1:50 a. m.—4 (Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations, arriving at Philadelphia 6:50 a m., New York 9:30 a. m., Baltimore 6:20 a. m. Washington 7:30 a. m., Pullman Sleeping cars to Philadelphia and passenger coaches to Philadelphia and Baltimore.

4:36 a. m.—Train 16 (Daily,) for Harrisburg and intermediate stations arriving at Baltimore 8:55 a. m. and Washington 10:16 a. m and Pullman sleeping cars to Baltimore, Washington, and Passenger coaches to Baltimore.

WESTWARD.

2:04 a. m.—Train 9 (Daily except Sunday) for Canandaigua, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman sleeping cars to Buffalo and passenger coaches to Rochester.

5:13 a. m —Train 3 (Daily,) for Erie, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo and Niagara Falls, with Pullman palace cars to Erie and Elmira and passenger coaches to Erie and Rochester.

9:56—Train 15 (Daily,) for Lock Haven and intermediate stations.

1:35 p. m.—Train 11 (Daily except Sunday) for Kane, Canandaigua and intermediate stations, Rochester, Buffalo, and Niagara Falls with through passenger coaches to Kane and Rochester and Parlor car to Rochester.

5:34 p. m.—Train 1, (Daily except Sunday) Renovo, Elmira and intermediate stations.

9:25 p. m.—Train 13, for Williamsport and intermediate stations.

THROUGH TRAINS FOR SUNBURY FROM THE EAST AND SOUTH.

Train 15—Leaves New York, 12:15 night, Philadelphia 4:30 a. m., Baltimore 4:40 a. m., Harrisburg, 8:15 a. m., daily arriving at Sunbury 9:56 a. m.

Train 11—Leaves Philadelphia 8:50 a. m., Washington 7:50 a. m., Baltimore 8:45 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury, 1:35 with Parlor car from Philadelphia and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 1—Leaves New York 9:00 a. m., Philadelphia 11:50 a. m., Washington 10:15 a. m., Baltimore 11:10 a. m., (daily except Sunday) arriving at Sunbury 5:29 p m. with passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

Train 13 leaves New York 2.00 p. m., Philadelphia 4:35 p. m., Washington 3:15 p. m., Baltimore 4:12 p. m. arriving at Sunbury 9:25 p. m. Through Coach and Parlor car from Philadelphia.

Train 9 leaves New York 6:30 p. m., Philadelphia 9:20 p. m., Washington 7:40 p. m., Baltimore 8:45 p. m., (Daily except Saturday,) arriving at Sunbury, 2:04 a. m. with Pullman sleeping cars and passenger coaches from Washington and Baltimore.

Train 3 leaves New York 8:00 p. m., Philadelphia 11:20 p. m., Washington 10:40 p. m., Baltimore 11:40 p. m., (Daily,) arriving at Sunbury 5:08 a. m., with Pullman sleeping cars from Philadelphia, Washington and Baltimore and passenger coaches from Philadelphia and Baltimore.

SUNBURY, HAZLETON, & WILKESBARRE RAILROAD, AND NORTH AND WEST BRANCH RAILWAY.

(Daily except Sunday)

Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10:00 a. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes Barre 12.10 p. m. Hazleton 12:15 p. m., Pottsville 1.25 p. m. Through Coach Williamsport to Wilkes-Barre.

Train 11 leaves Sunbury 5:35 p. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:26 p. m., Wilkes-Barre 7:50 p. m. Hazleton 7:56 p. m. Pottsville 9:05 p. m. Through Coach Williamsport to Wilkes-Barre.

Train 8 leaves Wilkes-Barre 7:25 a. m. Pottsville 6:00 a. m., Hazleton 7:10 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 8:47 a. m., Sunbury 9:25 a. m. Through Coach Wilkes-Barre to Williamsport.

Train 10 leaves Pottsville 1:50 p m. Hazleton 3:04 p. m. Wilkes-Barre 3:12 p. m. arriving at Bloom Ferry 4:31 p. m., Sunbury 5:05 p. m. Through Coach Wilkes-Barre to Harrisburg.

SUNDAY TRAINS.

Train 7 leaves Sunbury 10.00 a. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 10:48 a. m., Wilkes-Barre 12:10 p. m.

Train 26 leaves Wilkes-Barre 4:40 p. m., arriving at Bloom Ferry 6:08 p. m., Sunbury 7:00 p. m.

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PARIS OCCUPIED BY TROOPS.

THE AUTHORITIES SAY THEY WILL RESTORE ORDER AT THE FRENCH CAPITAL AT ANY COST.

PARIS, July 5.—The body of Nuger, the young man who was killed during the fighting between the police and students in the Latin quarter was sent to the home of his parents, in Lyons, to-day. The authorities feared that the rioters would take advantage of the shipment of the body to cause further trouble, and considerable secrecy was observed in transferring the body from the morgue to the Lyons railway station.

As the day wore on the rioters, hundreds of whom have no connections with the students, gathered in the vicinity of the markets and restarted the disturbances. Several conflicts occurred between the rioters on one side and police and soldiers on the other. The crowd was composed of the riff-raff of the city, a majority being out of work and men who never work.

The fighting was quite severe and numbers on both sides were injured. The affair has assumed such a serious aspect that the authorities, who at first imagined that it was due entirely to the effervescence of the more mischievious of the students, have determined to restore order at any cost. The disorderly elements in all parts of the city took advantage of the demonstration of students to join in to create disorder, and now as a matter of fact. they and not the students as a body are responsible for the rioting.

To day almost the whole of Paris is occupied by troops who are under orders to repress disorder with a strong hand. The government has not yet carried out its threat to close the labor exchange. It was decided this morning to allow the building to remain open for a little while longer. At five o'clock this evening quietness prevails in the district. Prompt action to-day of the military and the knowledge that they had orders to use any amount of force to disperse the rioters has had the effect of cowing the mob. There was a disgraceful scene in the chamber of deputies to-day. The proposal was made that the body discuss the riots. The extremists howled and for a time the utmost disorder prevailed. The matter was postponed until Monday.

Rioting was resumed at 9.30 o'clock to-night. A mob in the Boulevard St. Michael assumed a threatening attitude and the police charged upon the crowd, driving the rioters down the Rue Des Ecoles as far as the place Maubert. There the mob made a determined stand, showering stones and every kind of missiles on the police. A hand to hand fight followed, and the struggle continued until the police were reinforced by a large force of guards, when the rioters dispersed. In the meantime a body of police and Republican guards had driven off the turbulent crowds that had assembled in the vicinity of the labor exchange, which is now occupied by troops.

At eleven o'clock there was a sanguinary encounter on the Rue des Ecoles. The exact details are wanting, but it is known that the Republican guards charged the rioters with drawn swords and that the police opened fire with revolvers upon the mob. One man was killed on the spot by a sabre cut. Others were taken to the neighboring drug stores and their wounds were dressed.

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The Gettysburg Desecration.

From Harper's Weekly.

Within the last few weeks a storm of protests has broken upon the heads of those who are responsible for the scheme of running an electric railway over the famous battle-field of Gettysburg. It is thirty years since Meade and Lee decided the issue between the North and the South at that little town, within seven miles of the Maryland line. Since then the veterans of the blue have regarded as holy the scenes of the three days' awful struggle, and Gettysburg has become known the Union over as the "American Mecca." With a reverence unappreciable by the ordinary civilian the veteran has journeyed back to it, and standing bareheaded on some hallowed spot, has recalled with mental vision the awful carnage that swept from the Round Tops to the Cemetery. The imagination was not taxed greatly to reproduce the scenes, for the field has remained mainly as it was in '63, and the conditions that existed then have been preserved by the gratuitous efforts of the Memorial Association, aided by the various States that were repre-sented in the Army of the Potomac.

The battle-field of Gettysburg covers twenty-five square miles, the first day's engagement having occurred to the north and west of the town, and that of the second and third days to the southward. It is over the second and third days' field that the electric railway has run its desecrating track, ploughing, hacking, blasting, and destroying everything that impeded its progress, and shattering with vandalistic completeness all the sentiment that has hung over the blood stained ground.

The trolley goes out the Emmittsburg road—that runs about midway between Seminary and Cemetery ridges, upon which the two armies were stationed—to the Peach Orchard. Here it turns to the left, and pursues the narrow lane leading to the Taneytown road. Just before reaching the Wheat Field it deflects abruptly to the right, making for the Devil's Den region.

The Memorial Association has from the first opposed the electric railway, and scorned their request for a right of way over its land and avenues. Consequently the trolley purchased from private parties the necessary privileges, and wherever possible it has run its route along the line of the Memorial Association's land.

The Columbian Bell a Success.

The Columbian Liberty Bell was rung for the first time at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the Clinton H. Meneely bell foundry in Troy, N. Y., the ringing being controlled by electrical communication with Chicago. The hour was chosen to correspond with noon at Chicago and thereby carry out as nearly as possible the original programme modified on account of the delay in casting the bell. The statement coming from Chicago that the bell will be remelted and recast because of a flaw is denied by Mr. Meneely, who says that there is not a word of truth in it. The casting was a perfect success, and the bell is one of the finest ever made at the foundry.

The calling of congress in extra session is already evoking gossip as to the organization of the House. Complete reorganization is involved, with many new members to take their seats. A new speaker, clerk, sergeant-at arms, door-keeper and postmaster are to be elected.

It is generally concluded that Charles F. Crisp, of Georgia, will again be chosen speaker and that James Kerr, of Pennsylvania, will be re-elected clerk and Lycurgus Balton, of Indiana, postmaster. For sergeant-at-arms and doorkeeper there will be several candidates to the claims of the present incumbent.

Married.

At the Rectory of St. Paul's church, on the first inst., by Rev. Wm. C. Leverett, Mr. John Randolph Turner and Miss Sarah Ann Steel, both of Centralia

SEVERE STORMS IN OHIO.

Lightning Struck Promiscuously—Crops Ruined by Rain, Wind and Hail.

CINCINNATI, July 5.—A terrific thunder storm passed over central Ohio Sunday night, followed by another of equal fury yesterday. Much damage was done. The wind and lightning were the most severe in fifty years. Rain fell in torrents during the storm and was accompanied by hail.

In Fostoria chimneys and trees were blown down. A tree at the electric power house fell on all main wires leading out and left the city in total darkness throughout the night. A few miles south of Fostoria, the storm assumed the proportions of a tornado, blowing down several stables, outbuildings and fences. The rainfall was the greatest in years.

The damage to crops is enormous, and numerous houses and barns in the path of the storm were struck by lightning and burned.

DENNIS WILL RECOVER.

The Fourteenth Bridge Jumper is Badly Bruised.

The Young Irishman Wanted to Eclipse Steve Brodie's Feat—He Was Stimulated by Drink—Under Arrest at a Hospital.

NEW YORK, July 5.—Dennis McCarthy, the young Irishman who jumped from the Brooklyn Bridge yesterday, is reported to-day as doing as well as can be expected. He is at Chambers street hospital, where his trouble is registered as "severe contusions." His right side is one black and blue bruise, where he struck the water, and he has been vomiting quite a little blood.

He is now under arrest. As soon as he sufficiently recovers he will be arraigned in the police court, and will, no doubt, serve a term on the Island.

McCarthy is the fourteenth man to make the jump. He eclipsed Brodie's feat from the fact that he made his leap at about half way between the two piers, where the roadway is several feet higher than where the boastful Steve went over.

Dennis had boasted to his friends that he would beat Brodie's record, and well primmed with liquor he rode on a truck half-way across the bridge. He leaped on the railing and went feet first towards the water, turning over several times before he struck. He was picked up by a tug and landed in the hands of the police on pier 21, on the New York side.

SHERMAN'S INTERVIEW.

The Veteran Statesman's Words Cause Some Comment.

NEW YORK, July .—The statements made by Senator Sherman has caused no little talk in both political and financial circles in this city.

The veteran financier said that there had never been a time since the law of 1890, known as the "Sherman Act," was passed that he would not have voted for its repeal.

SENATOR SHERMAN.

He said that the Sherman act was a compromise measure, and it was passed to save the country from a free coinage bill that had been passed by the Senate by an overwhelming majority. The Democrats helped it pass it, and now they abused and blamed it for all the financial woes of the nation.

"If the bill," he said, "had not been passed, a free coinage bill would, and the result would have been infinitely more damaging to the country."

"Will you outline what you think should be done in the present crisis?" he was asked.

"No; I will not. I prefer to have President Cleveland and his advisers unembarrassed by my advice.

"I have told Mr. Cleveland and Mr. Carlisle that I will stand with them for a sound, safe, stable currency, and that I will do.

"But the present dispute over the silver question is a Democratic party issue. Mr. Cleveland, in opposing silver, is fighting three-fourths of his party."

"Will the Sherman bill be repealed?"

"Probably so; but before it is repealed there are apt to be some warm expressions of opinion. I would not be surprised if some of the Democratic Congressmen and Senators should consent to the repeal of the Sherman act only on conditions that the administration might not favor."

Socialist Riot at Liben.

PRAGUE, July 5.—The Socialists have risen in surrection at Liben, a small town near here, and the riot has assumed such serious proportions that a force of infantry and cavalry was sent to assist the gendarmes in restoring order. About ninety of the rioters have been arrested.

The President is Fishing.

BUZZARD'S BAY, Mass., July 5.—Up to 1 p. m. to-day the President's yacht had not reached here. Mrs. Cleveland says her husband may spend two days more in fishing before reaching Gray Gables. It is understood that the Oneida is at anchor between New London and Buzzard's Bay.

Bi-Metallic League Call Issued.

WASHINGTON, July 5.—A. J. Warner, president of the American bi-metallic league, has issued a call for a National convention of the league to be held in Chicago, beginning August 1, next.

Carlisle Goes to the Fair.

WASHINGTON, July 6.—Secretary Carlisle, Mrs. Carlisle and Logan Carlisle left here at 11 o'clock this morning over the Baltimore & Ohio railroad for Chicago, on a visit to the World's Fair.

"Only the Scars Remain,"
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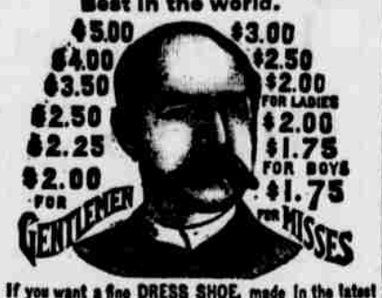

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ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Mary E. Fetterman, late of Conyngham township, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of Administration on the estate of Mary E Fetterman late of Conyngham township, deceased have been granted to the undersigned administrator to whom all persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payments, and those having claims or demands will make known the same without delay to
5-25-6t. C. G. MURPHY, Administrator.

TOWN TAXES.

Notice is hereby given to the tax payers of the Town of Bloomsburg by the undersigned Town Treasurer that he is prepared to receive Town Taxes for the year 1893 at his office on the second floor of Lockard's building, corner of Main and Centre streets in said Town of Bloomsburg, from July 5th to August 5th, 1893. Any Tax unpaid at the expiration of thirty days after July 5th, 1893, shall be paid with five per centum penalty added thereto.
June 30-3t. J. H. MAIZE, Town Treasurer.

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AUDITOR'S NOTICE.

In re estate of Sarah Gerrard, late of Scott township, deceased.

The undersigned, an auditor appointed by the Orphans' Court of Columbia county to make distribution of balance in hands of the Administrator to the parties entitled, will meet the parties interested, in his office, in the town of Bloomsburg, Pa., on Thursday, Aug. 24, 1893, at 9 o'clock a. m., when and where all persons having claims against said estate must appear and prove the same, or be debarred from coming in on said fund. ROBT. R. LITTLE, Auditor
7-7-3t.

NOTICE.

Notice is hereby given that a meeting of the Stockholders of the Bloomsburg Silk Mill will be held at the office of the Company in the Town of Bloomsburg, Pa., on Tuesday the 15th day of August A. D. 1893 at 2 o'clock P. M., to take action on the approval or disapproval of an increase of the Capital Stock of the Company from $85,000 to $120,000.
L. E. WALLER, Secretary.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

Estate of Jas. K. Eyer, deceased.

Whereas letters testamentary in the estate of James K. Eyer, late of Bloomsburg deceased, have been granted to the subscribers. All persons indebted to the said estate are requested to make immediate payment and those having claims or demands against the estate of the said decedent will make known the same without delay to
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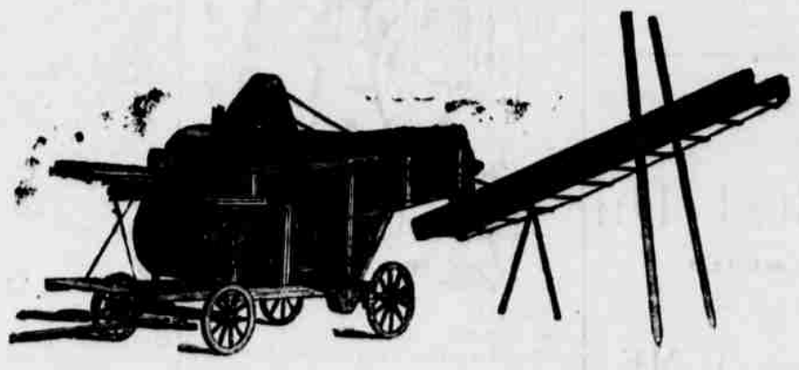

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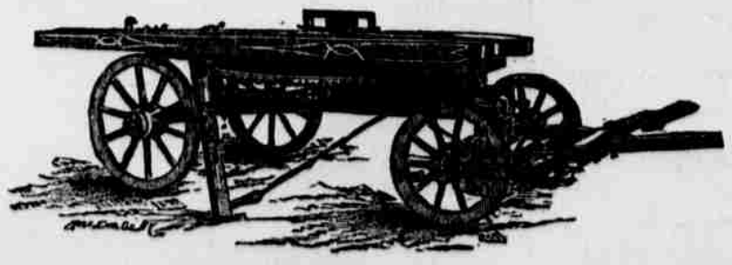

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